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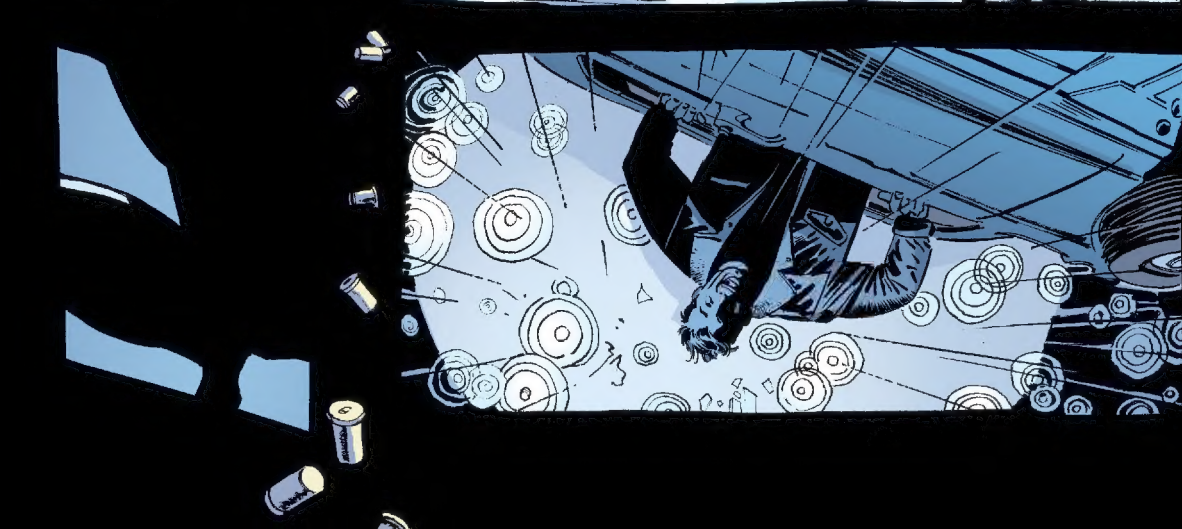
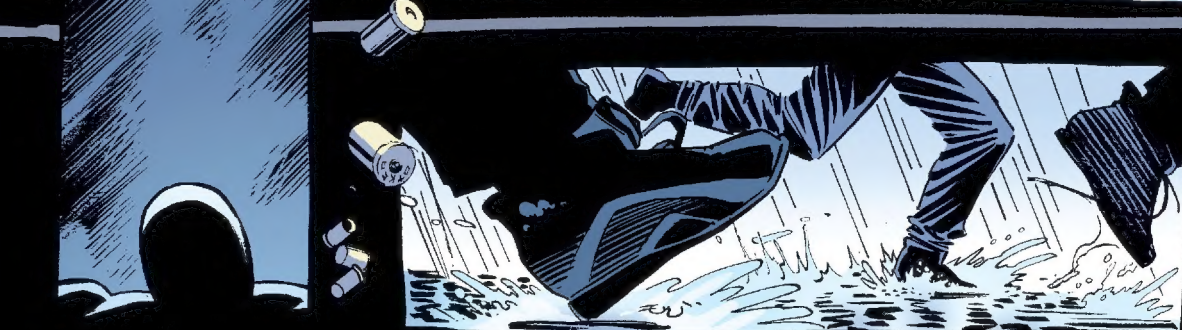
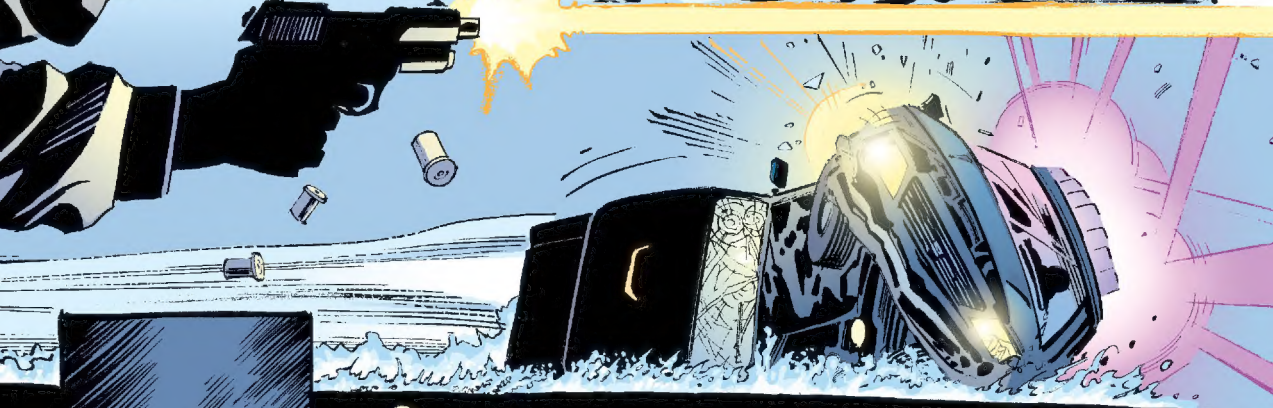
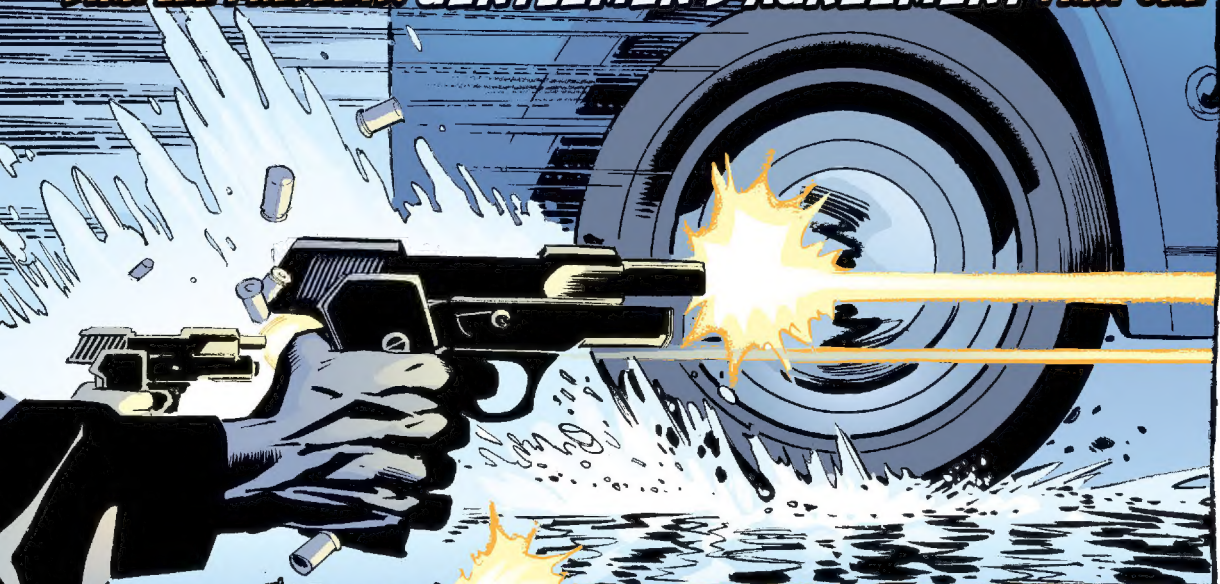
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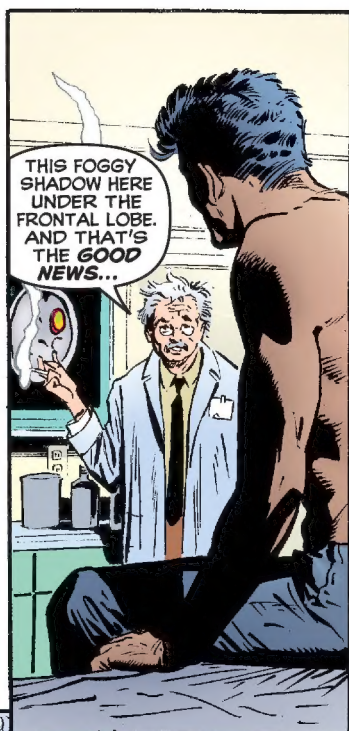
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STAN LEE PRESENTS: GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT PART ONE





IT'S
CANCER,
CHARLIE.



THIS FOGGY
SHADOW HERE
UNDER THE
FRONTAL LOBE.
AND THAT'S
THE **GOOD**
NEWS...

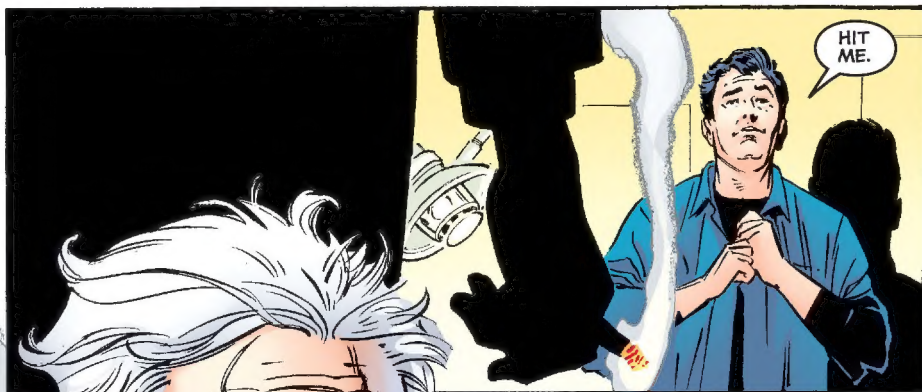


AND
THE **BAD**
NEWS?

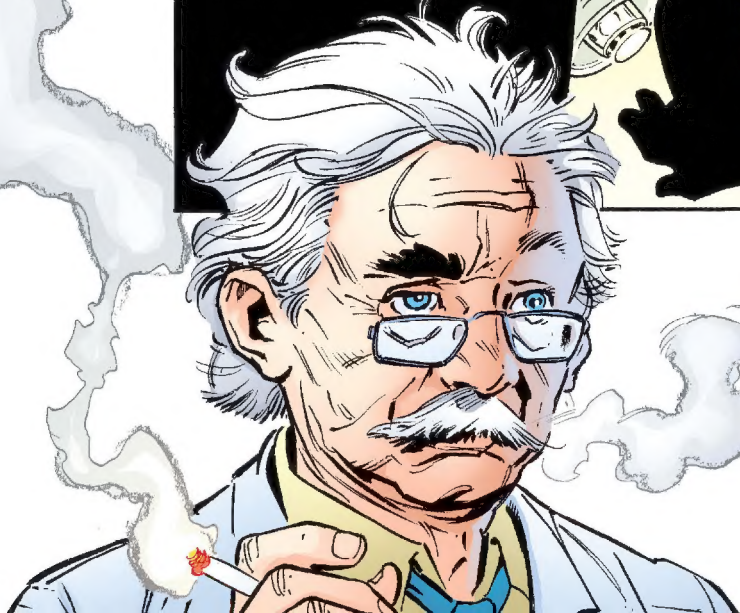


THE BAD NEWS
IS, WE **CAN'T** GET
TO IT -- NOT WITHOUT
TURNING YOU INTO
A TURNIP.

WANT SOME
MORE GOOD
NEWS?

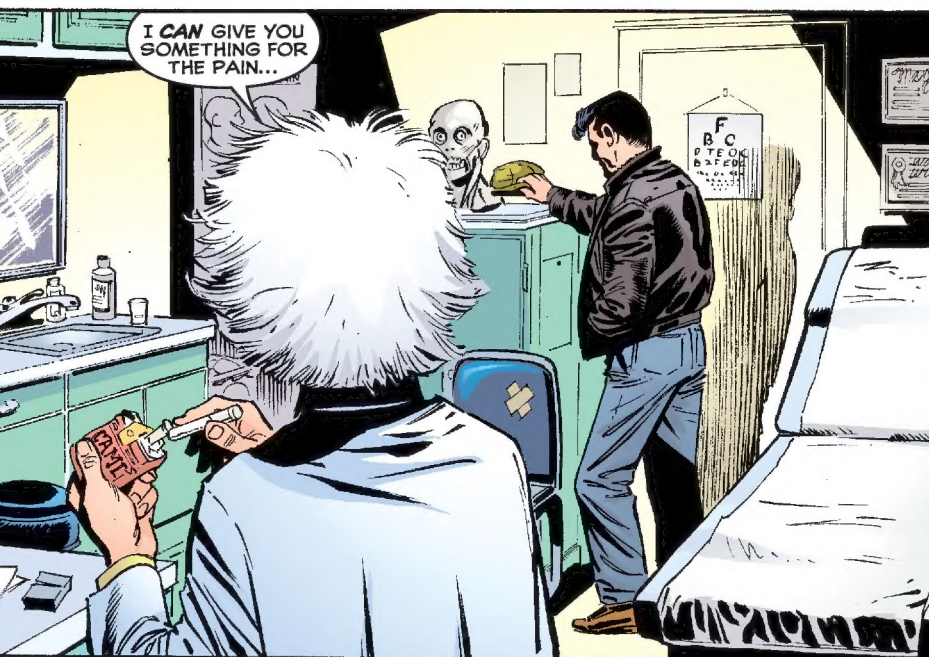
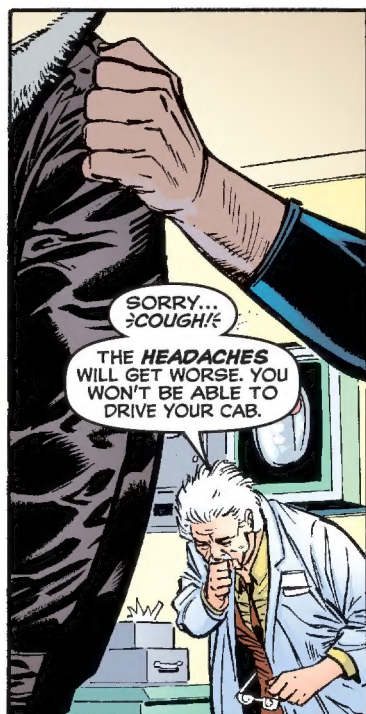
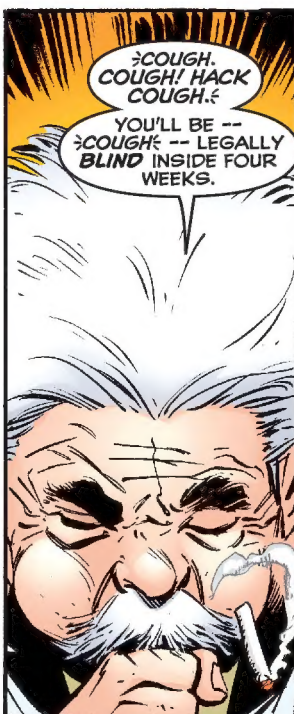


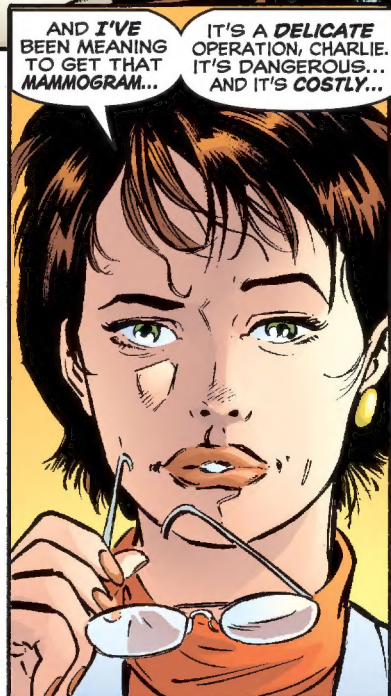
HIT
ME.

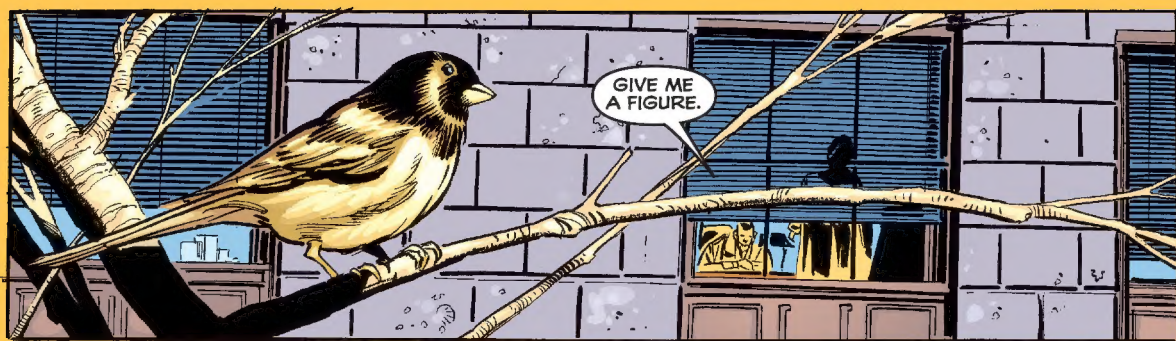


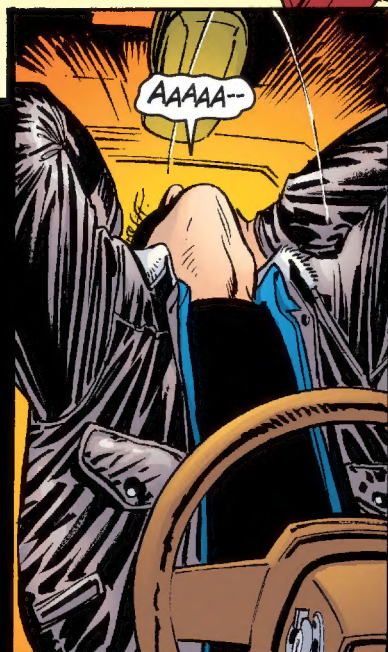
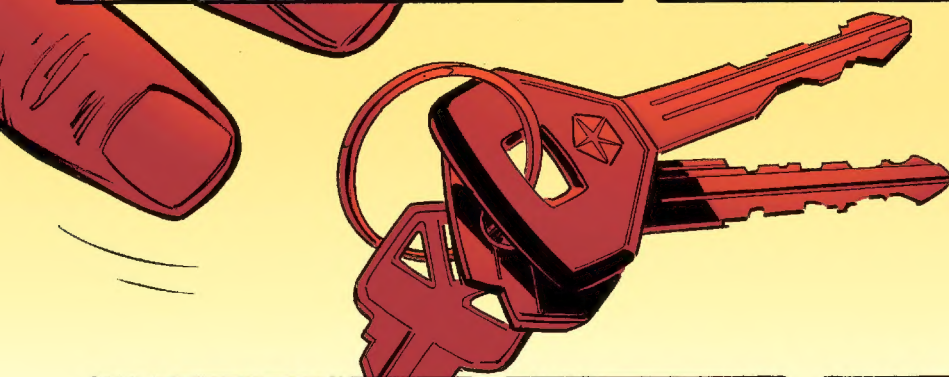
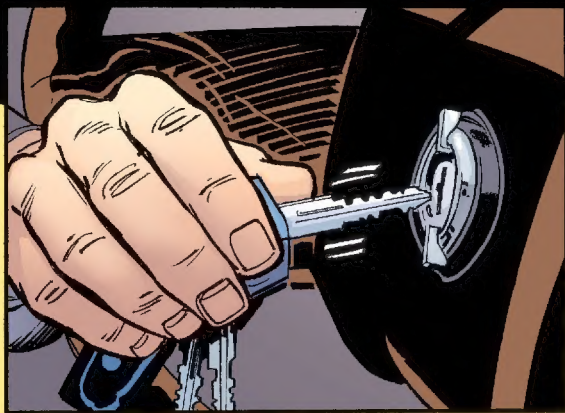
IT'S A **SLOW**
GROWER. COULD BE
MONTHS BEFORE IT
METASTASIZES.

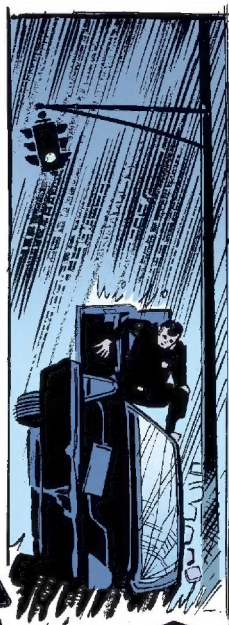
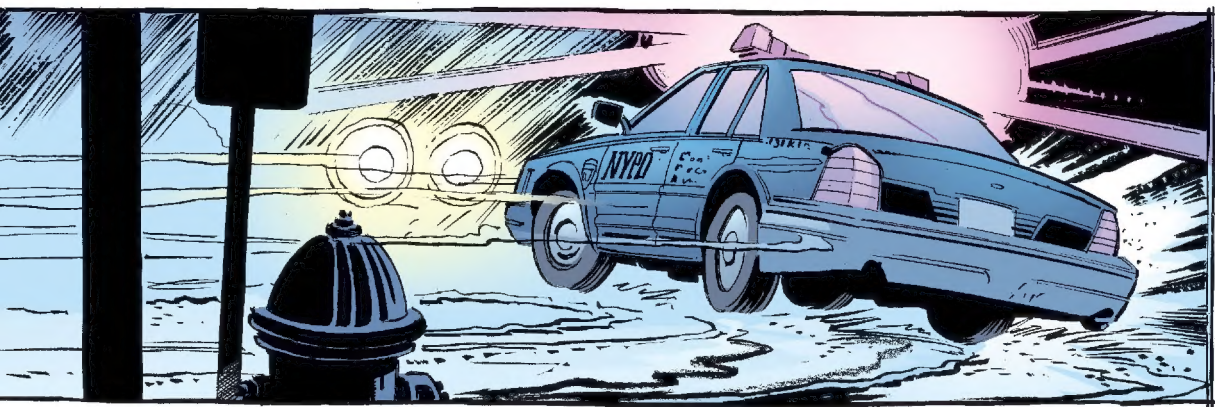
YOU HAVE
SOME TIME.
MAYBE A YEAR
WITH **LUCK**.



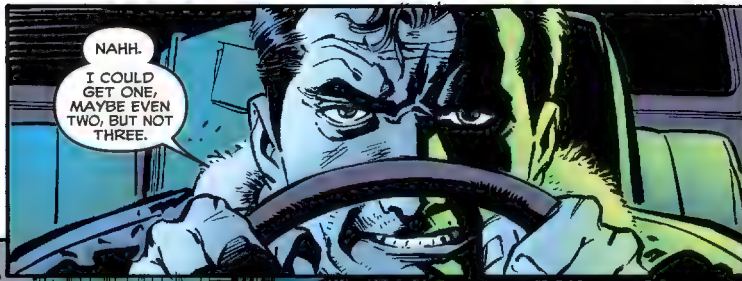




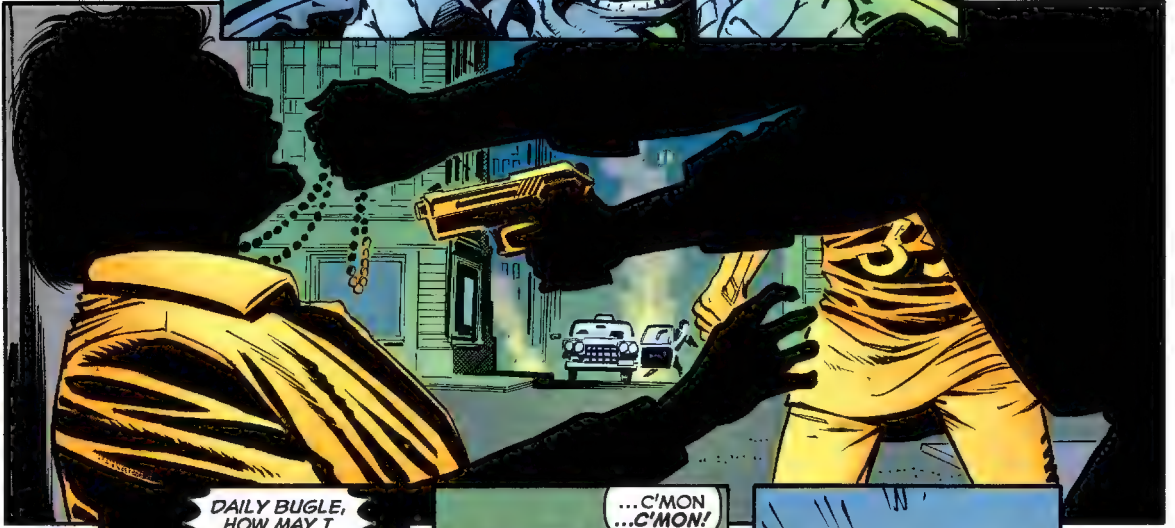








NAHH.
I COULD
GET ONE,
MAYBE EVEN
TWO, BUT NOT
THREE.



EXTENSION
ONE-TWENTY-
SIX, AND
HURRY!

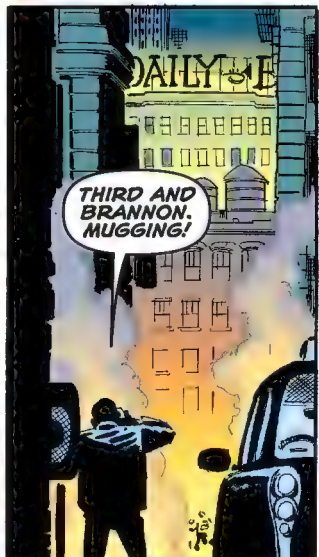
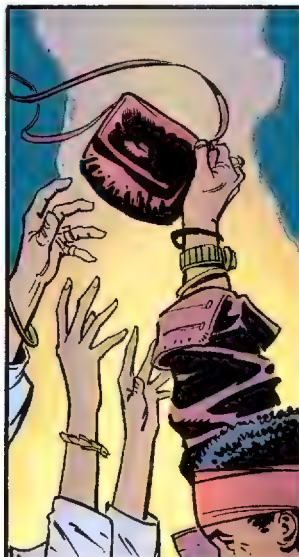
DAILY BUGLE,
HOW MAY I
DIRECT YOUR
CALL?



...C'MON
...C'MON!



THIS IS
PARKER...



THIRD AND
BRANNON.
MUGGING!



THAT'S IT?
YO, THAT AIN'T RI --



-- WII!!



MUGS? WHERE'D HE --



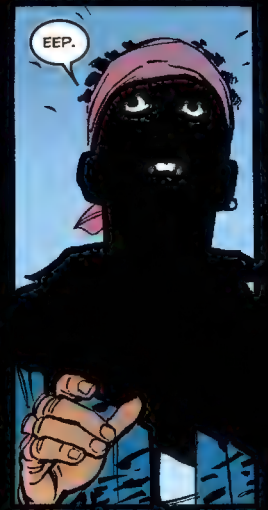
--GAGHK!



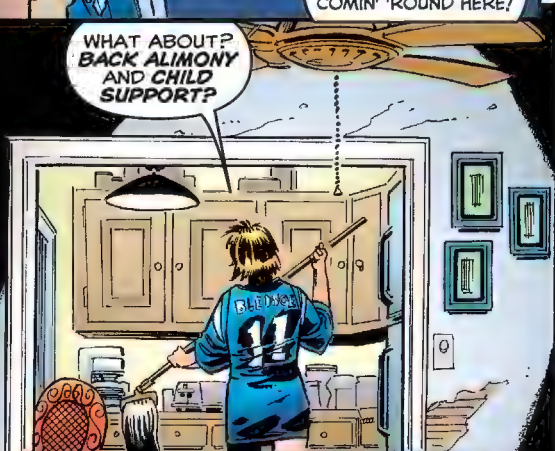
YO! YO CABBY!

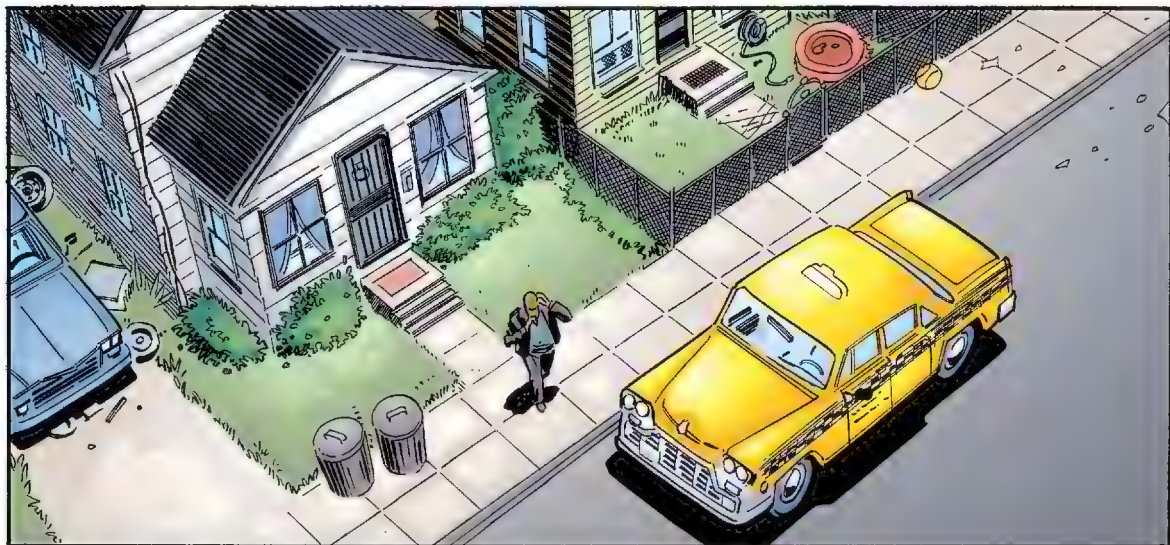
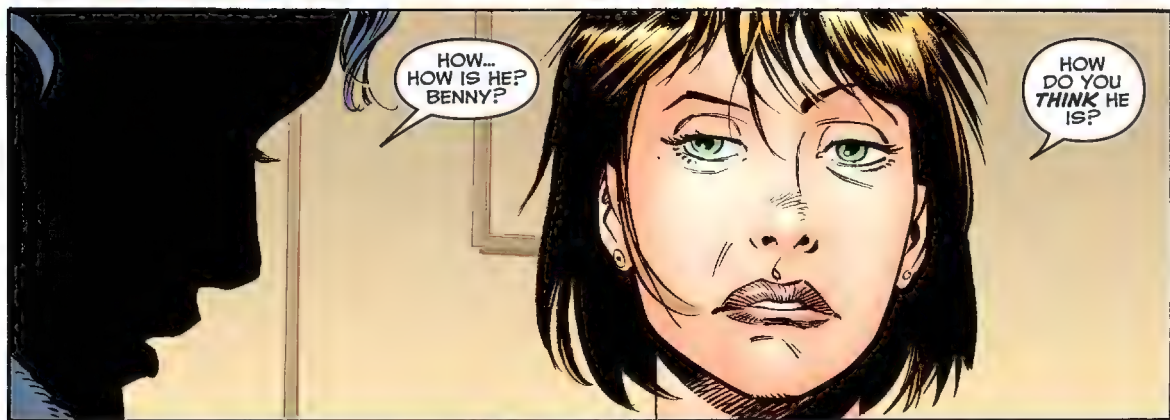
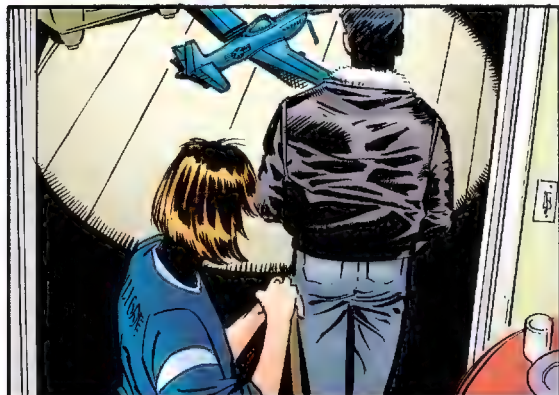


CABBY!



EOP.

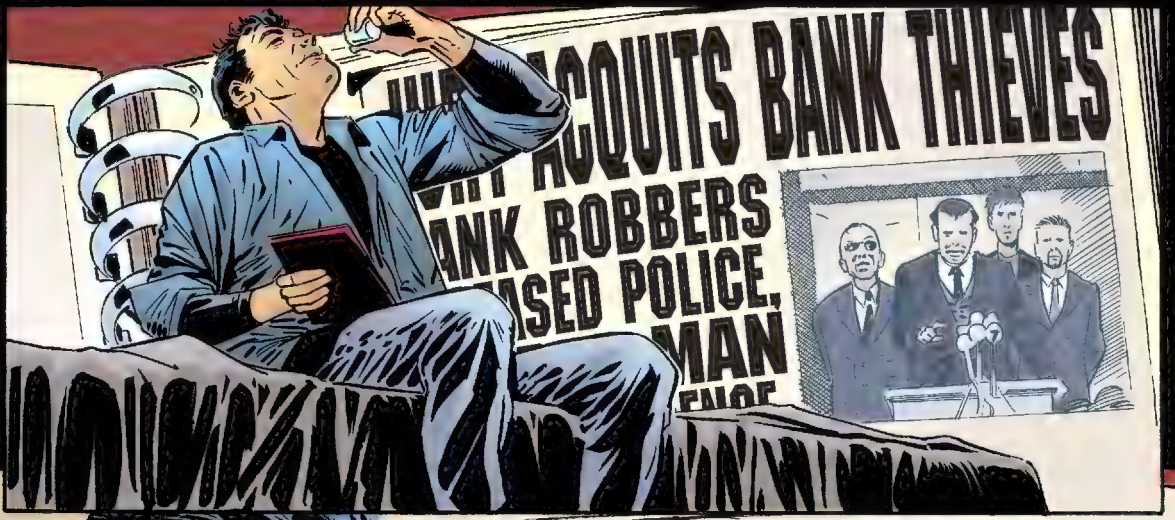


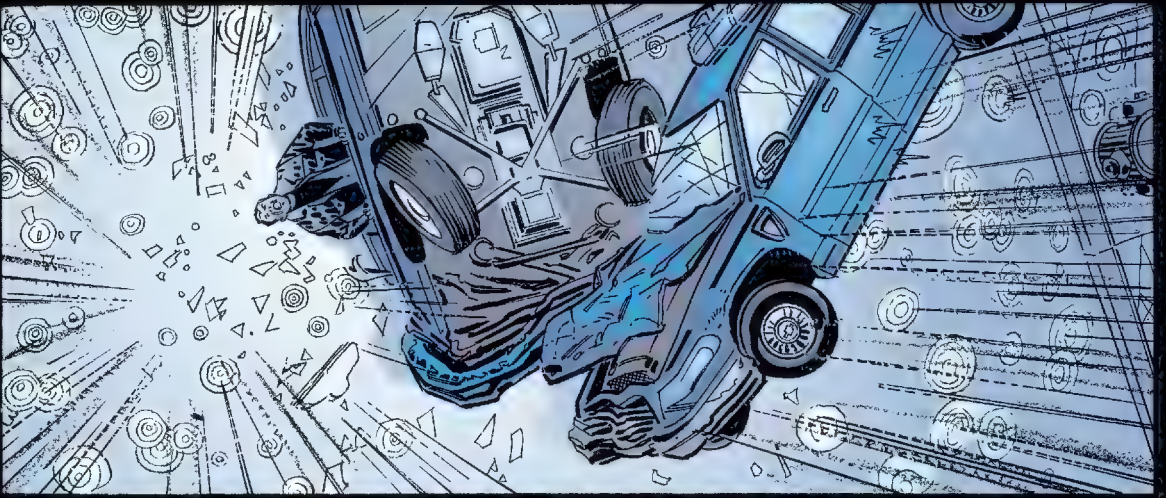




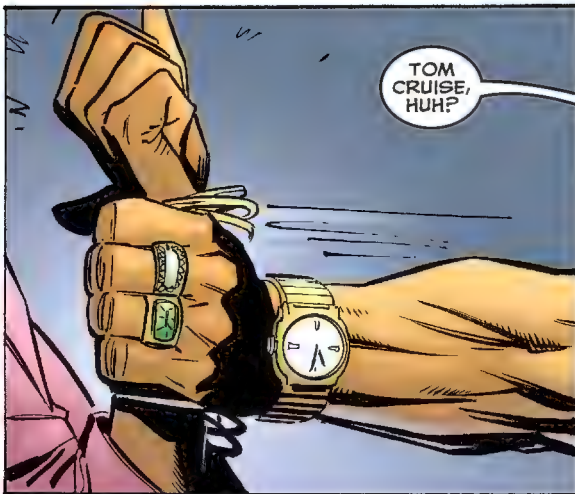
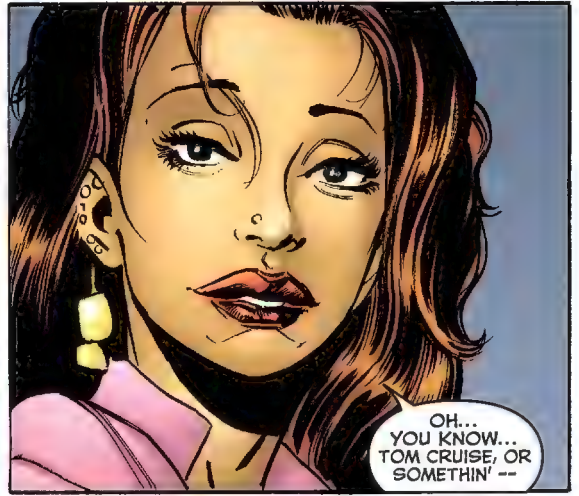
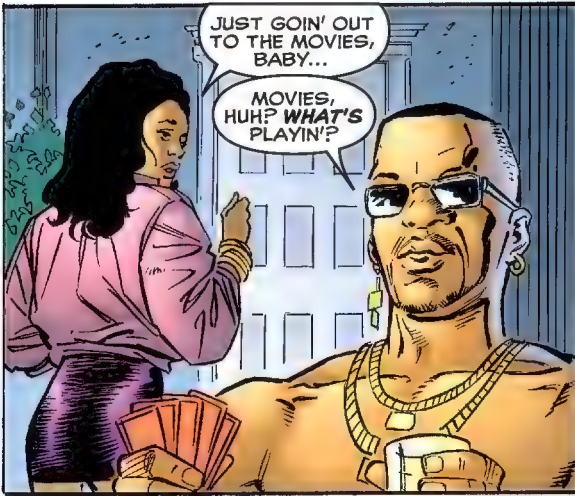
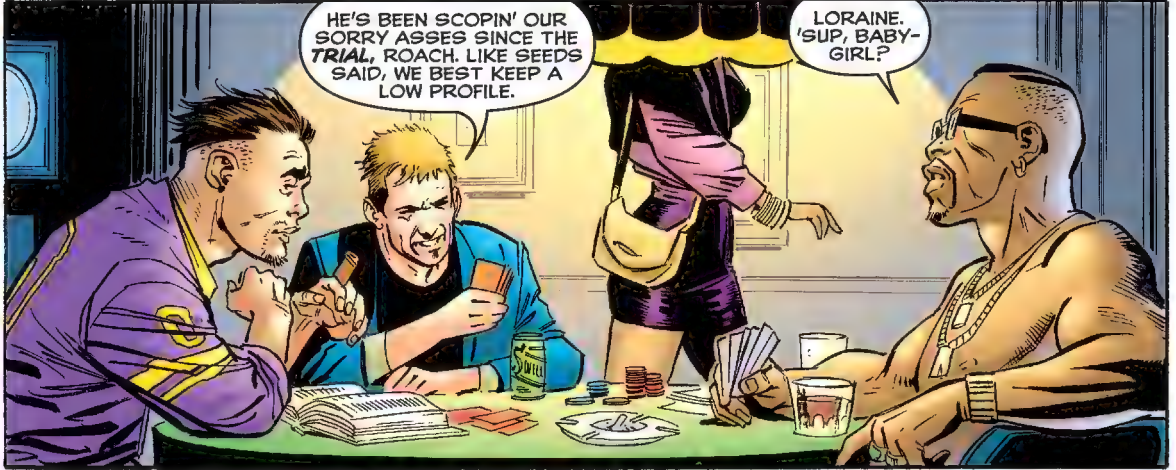
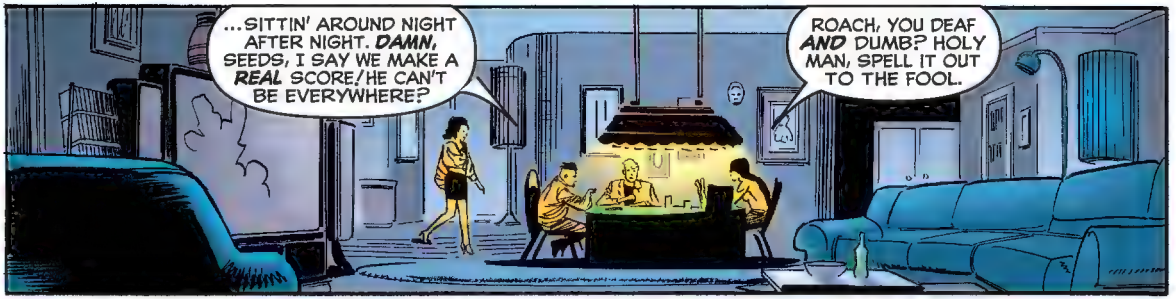
...HALF A
MILLION... AND IT'S
DANGEROUS...

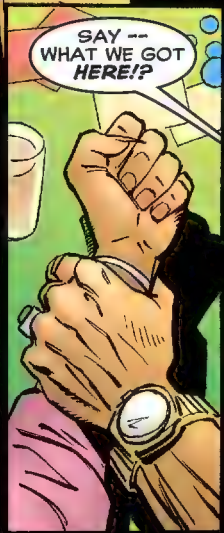


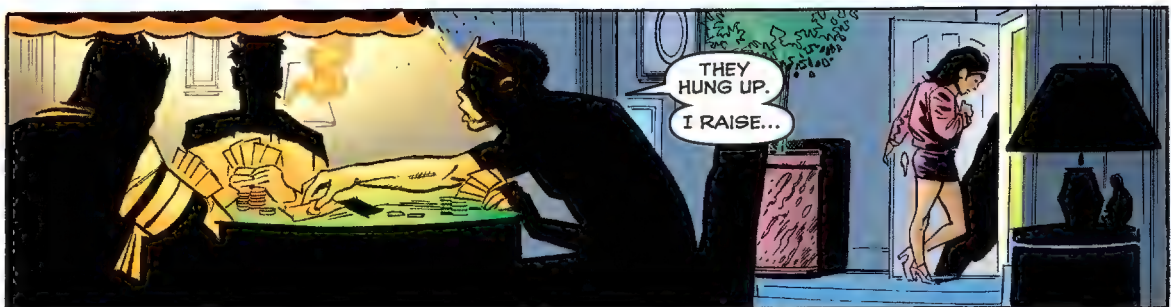
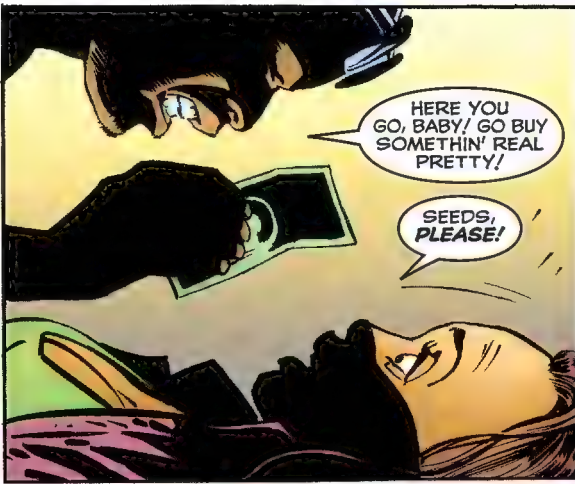


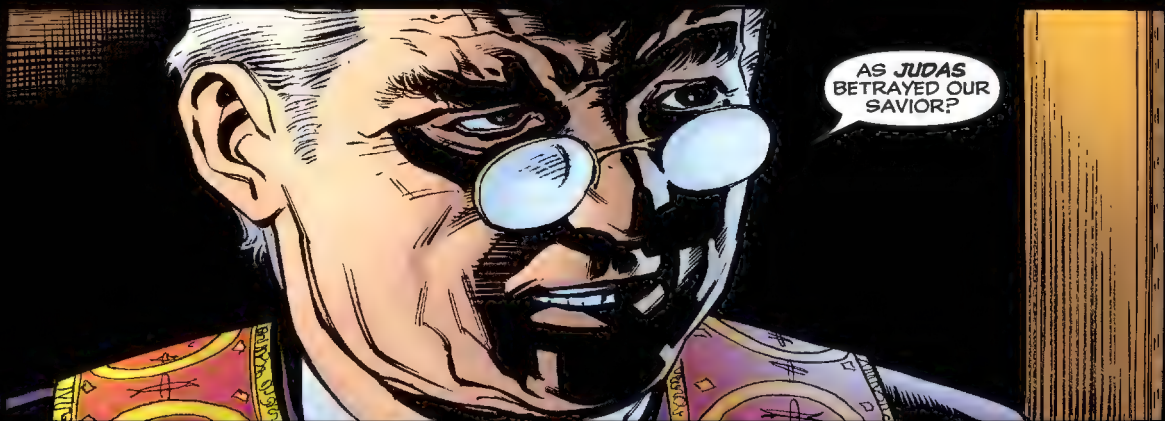
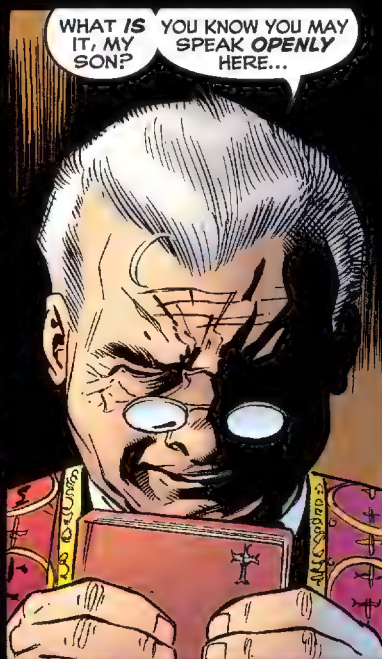


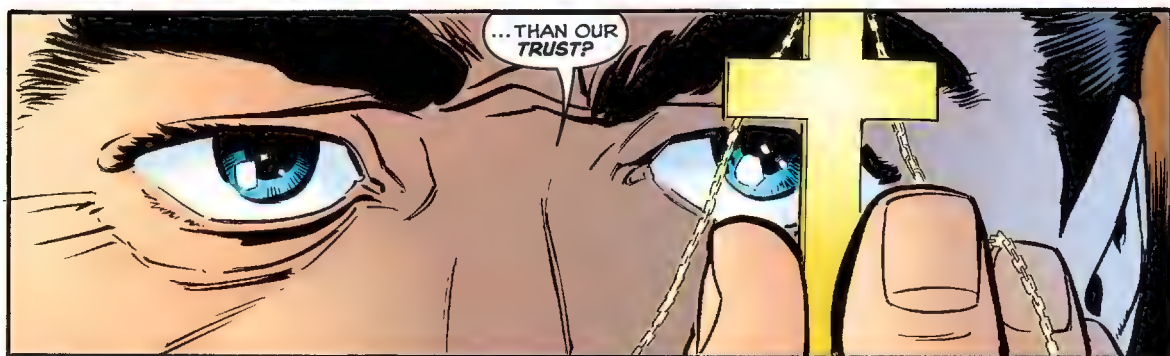
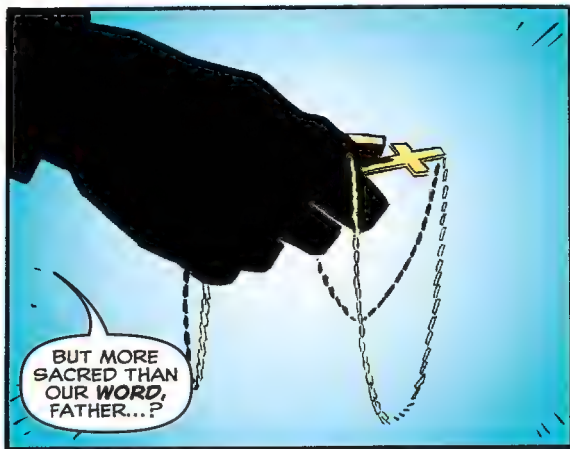
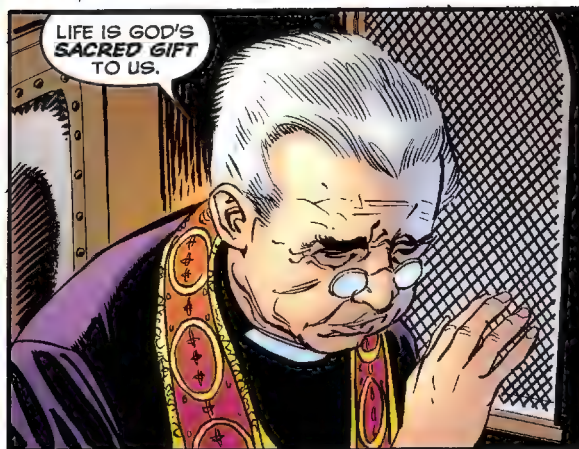




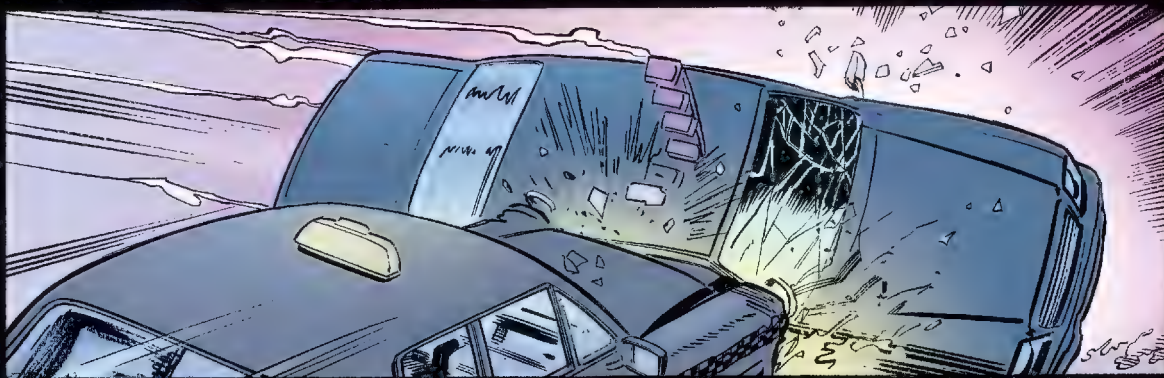


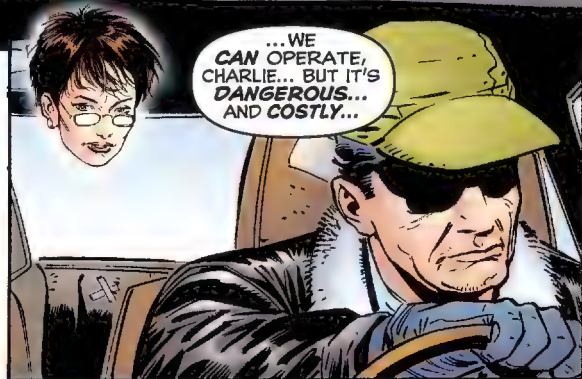
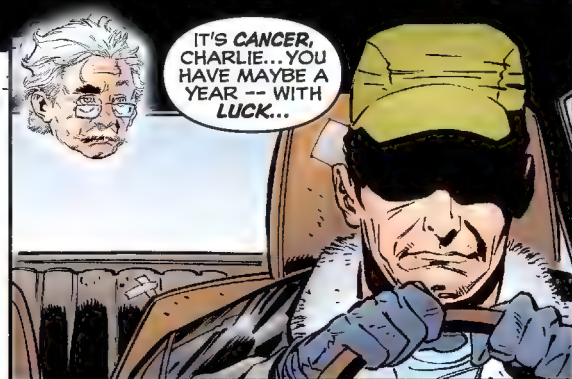
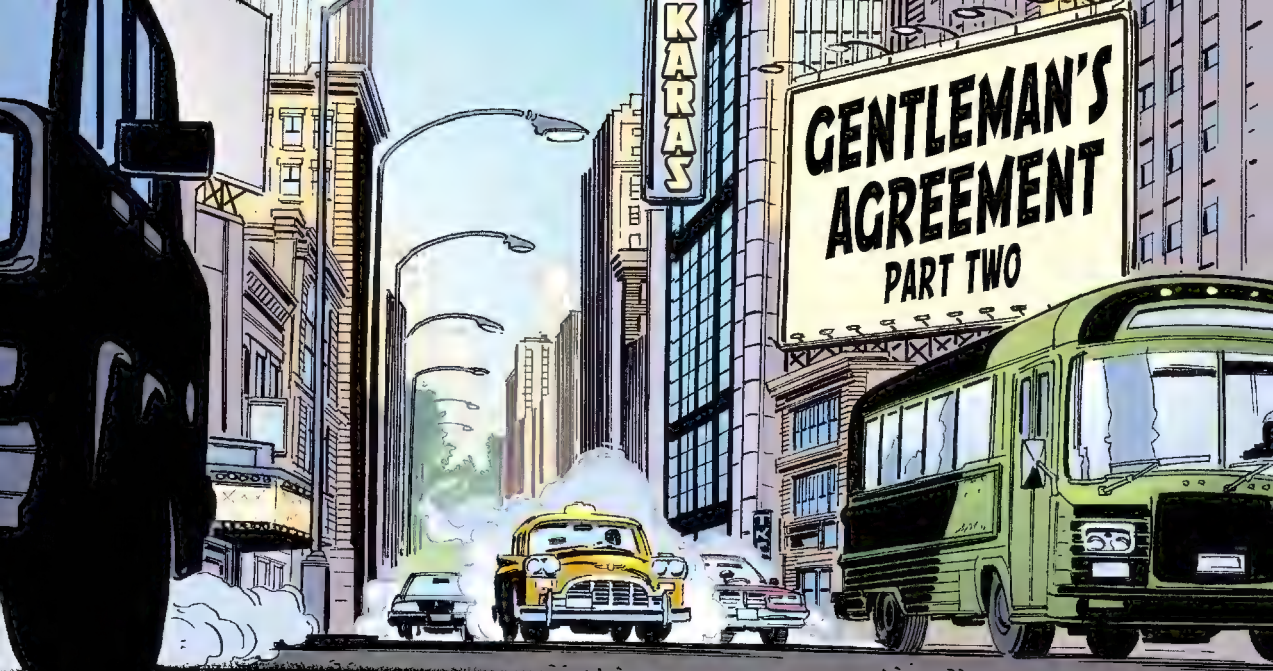


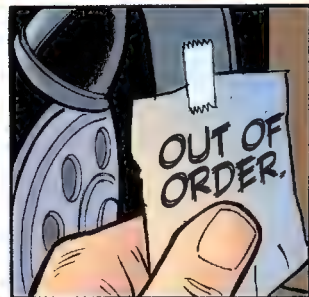
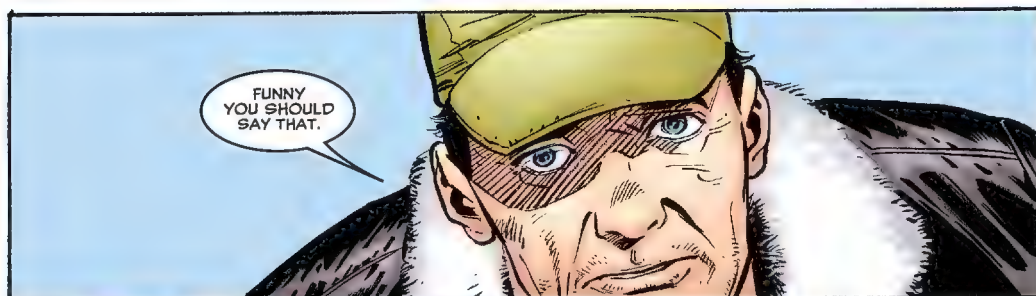
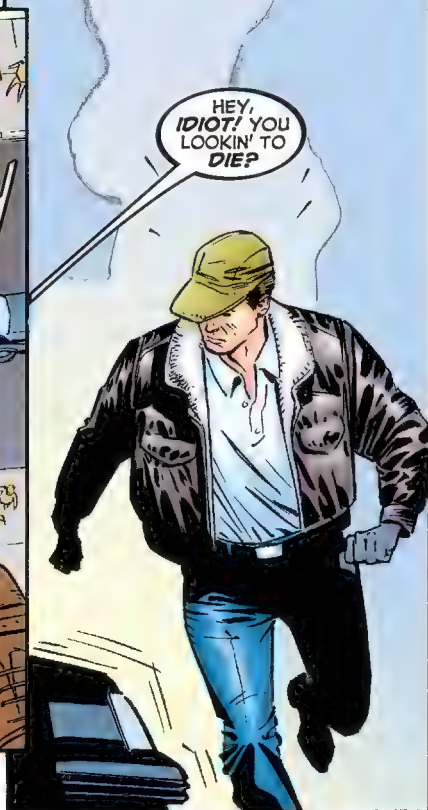
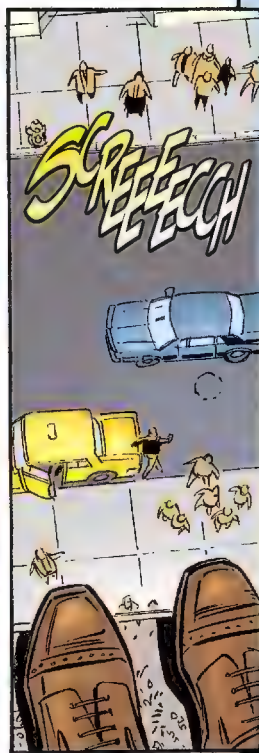
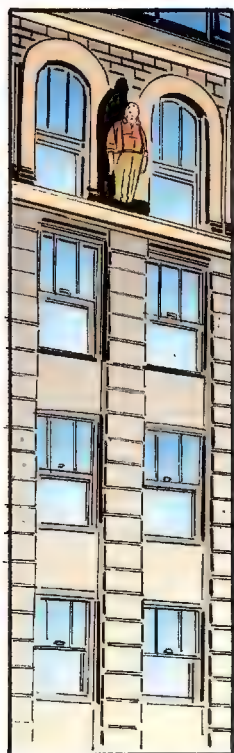


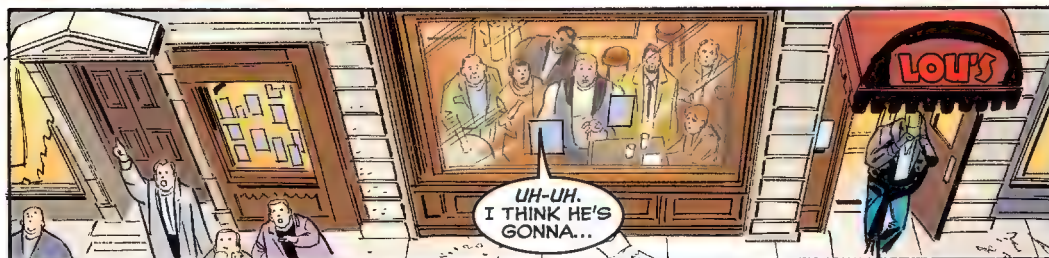
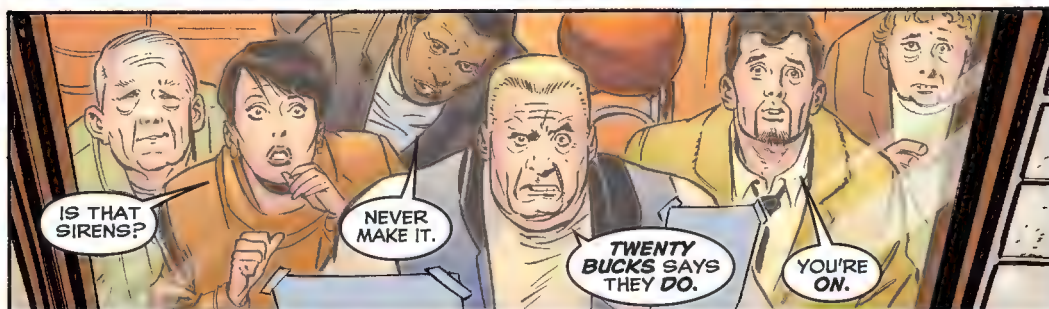




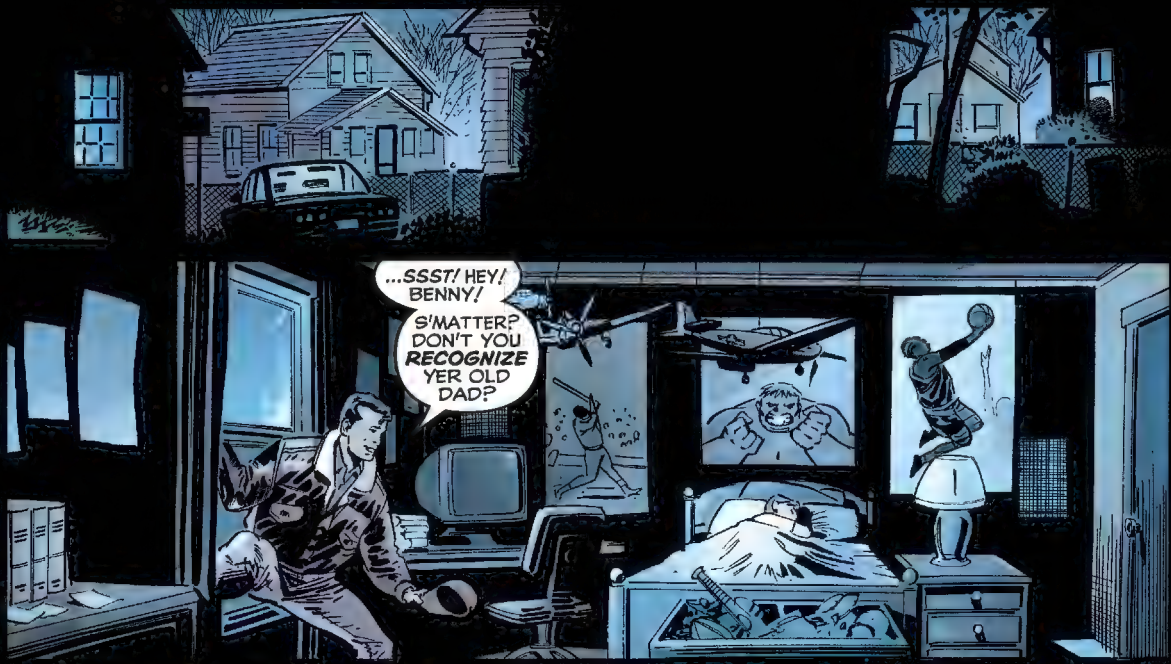




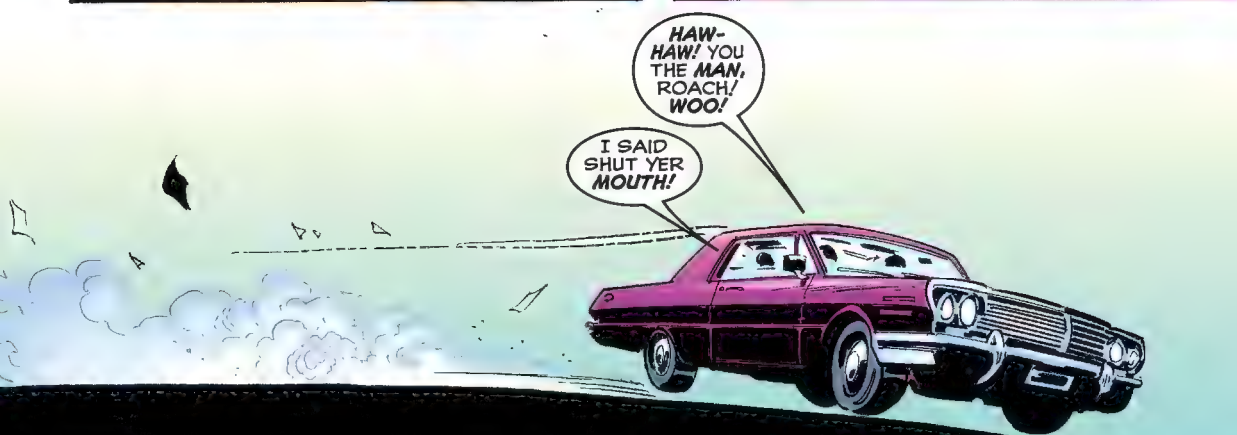
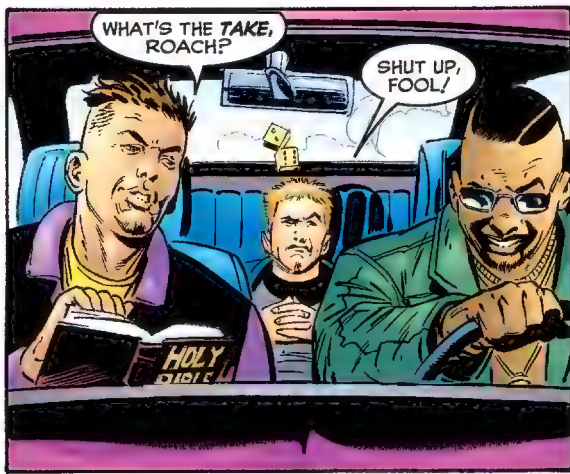
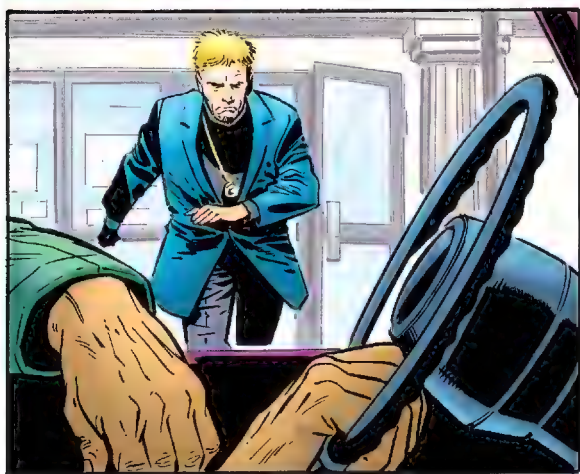
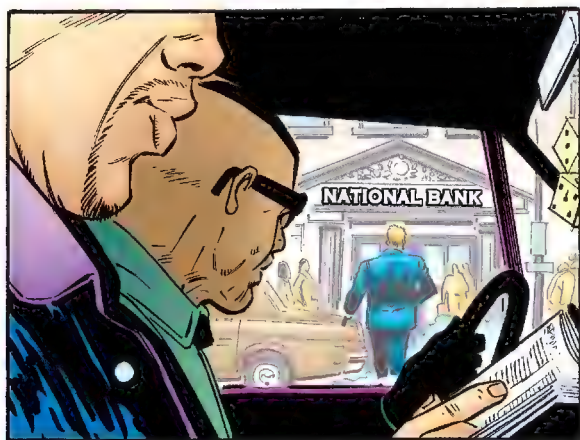
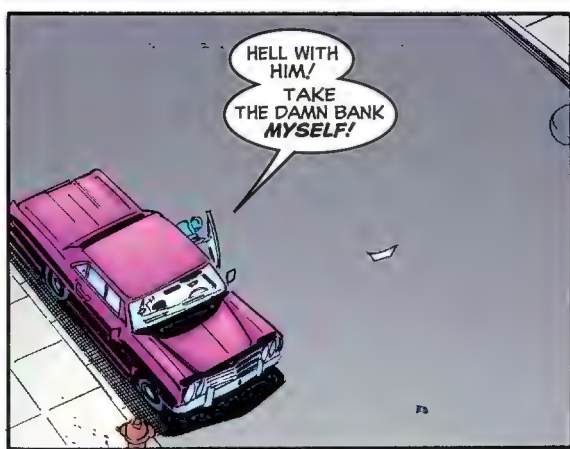
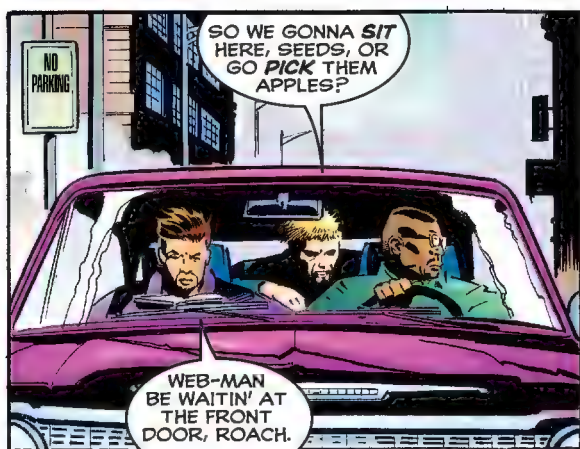


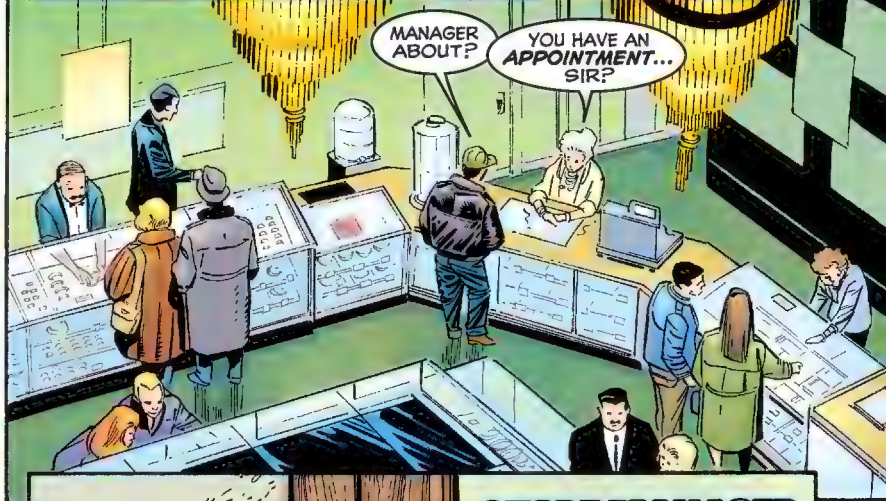


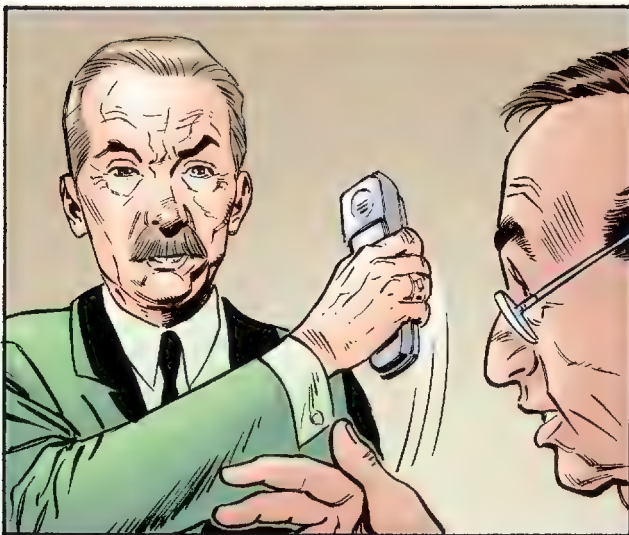
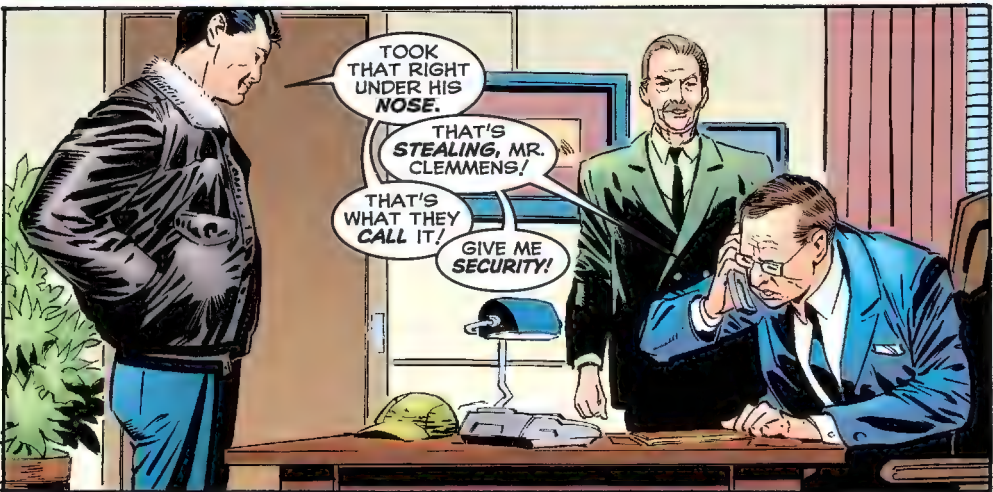
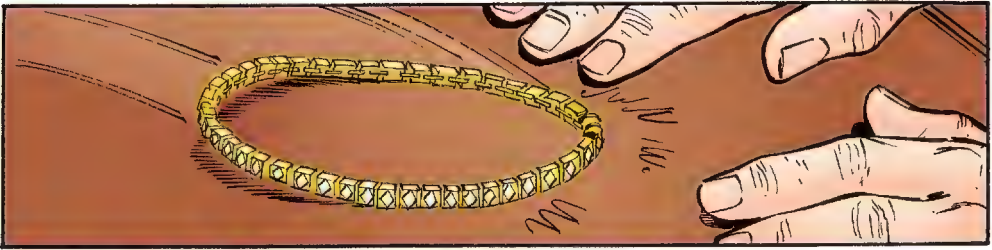


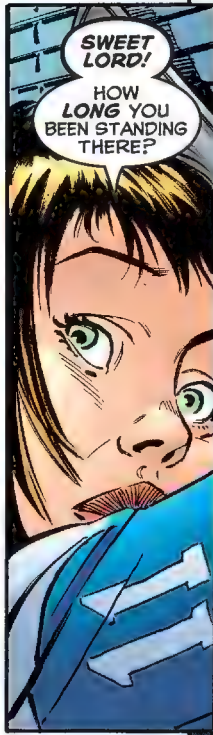
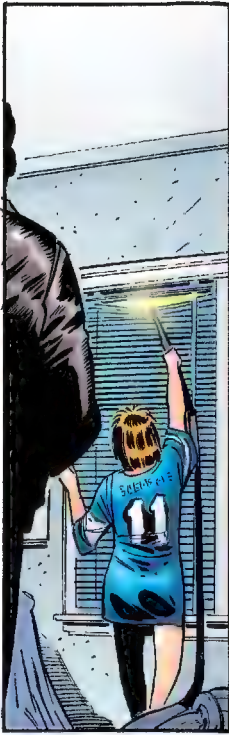
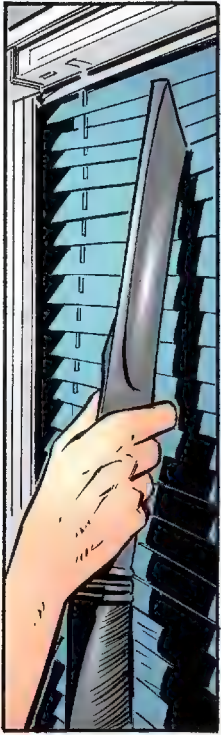












SWEET LORD!

HOW LONG YOU BEEN STANDING THERE?

JUST WATCHING YOU, GLADYS...

WELL, WATCH OVER **THERE!** I JUST VACUUMED THAT RUG!



JUST CAME TO SAY GOOD-BYE...

RIGHT. HEARD **THAT ONE** ALREADY.

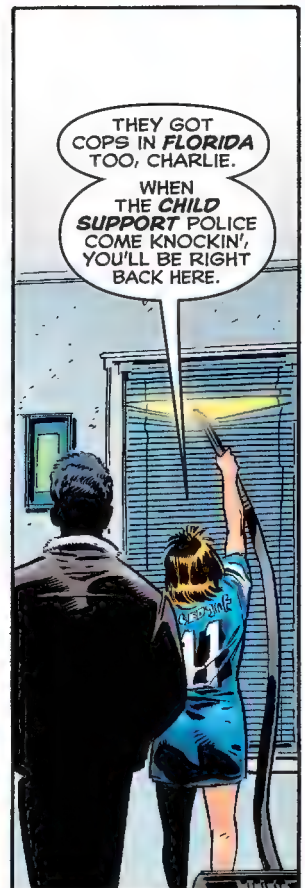
DON'T SLAM THE DOOR, HUH?



I'VE AGREED WITH MYSELF TO DO SOMETHING...

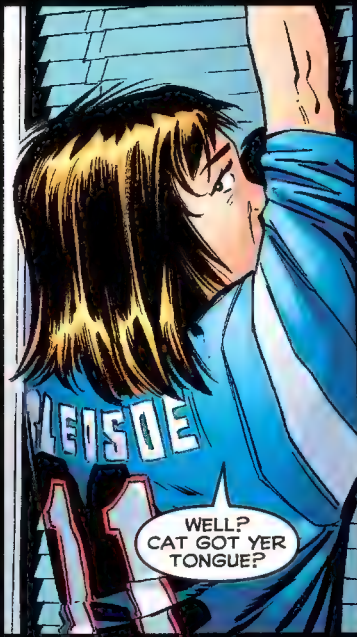
...SOMETHING I'M NOT REAL ANXIOUS TO DO.

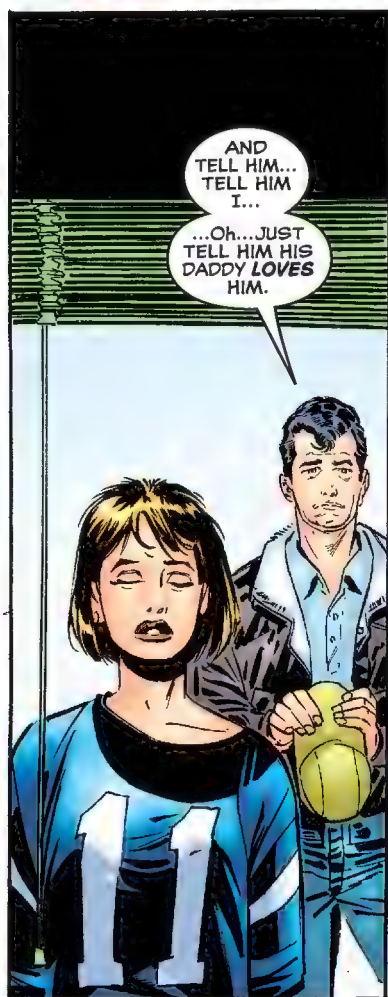
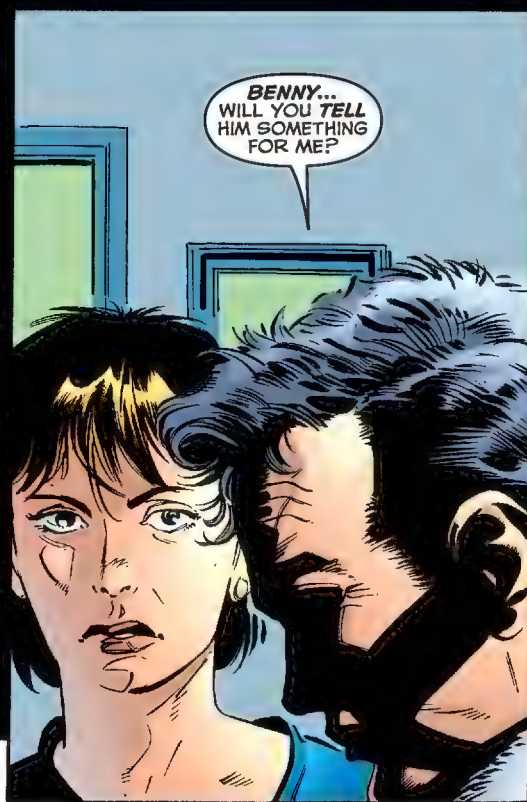
THEN I'LL BE GOING AWAY FOR A WHILE. A **LONG** WHILE...

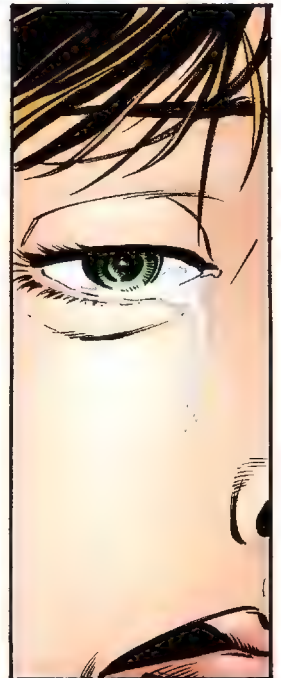
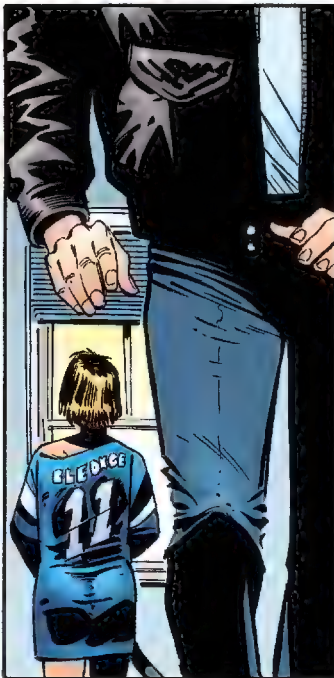
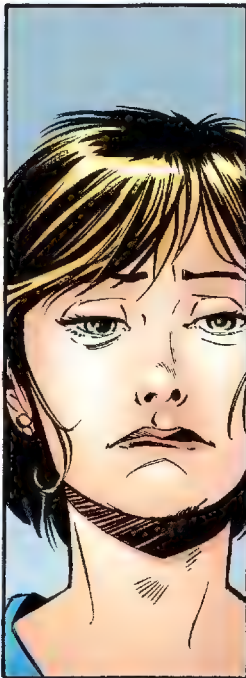
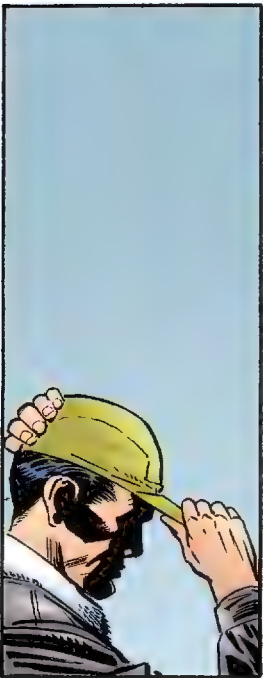
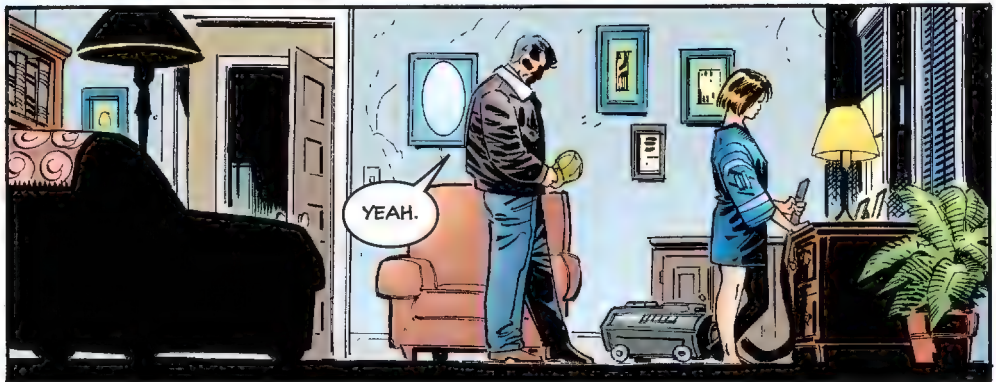
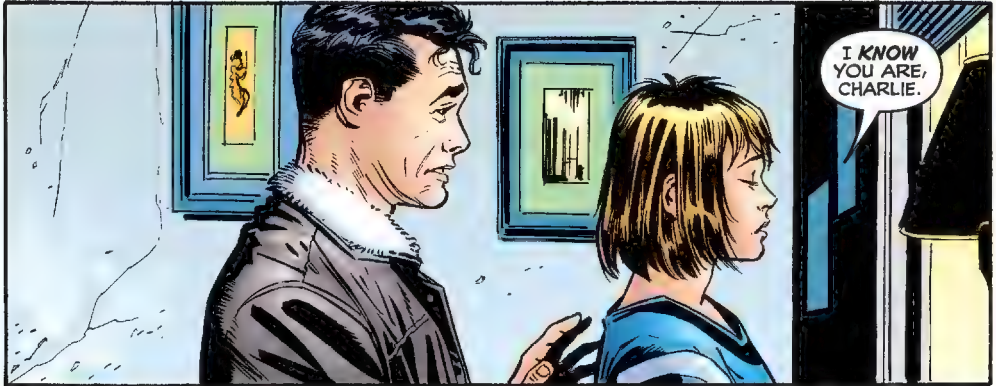
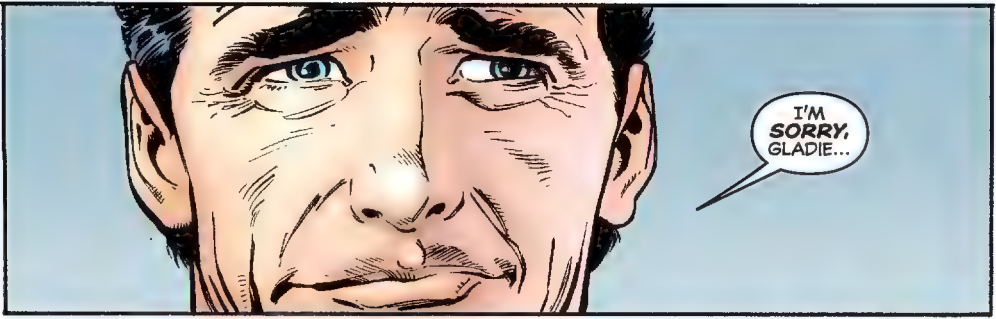


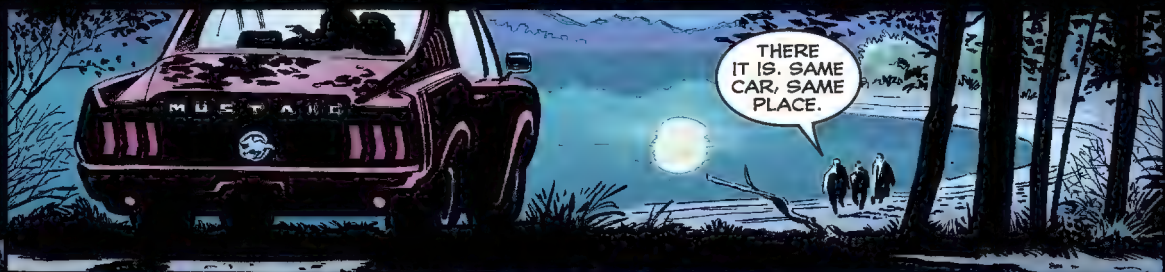
THEY GOT COPS IN **FLORIDA** TOO, CHARLIE.

WHEN THE **CHILD SUPPORT** POLICE COME KNOCKIN', YOU'LL BE RIGHT BACK HERE.







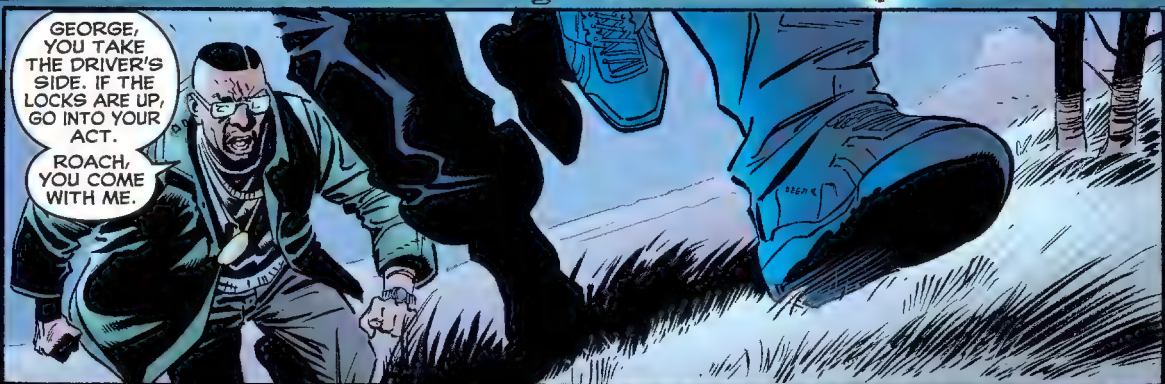


THERE
IT IS. SAME
CAR, SAME
PLACE.



SMALL
TIME'S WHAT
WE **SETTLE** FOR
RIGHT NOW, ROACH.
BEST TO KEEP A
LOW-PROFILE WITH
SPIDER-MAN
SCOPIN' OUR
BUTTS.

THIS IS
SMALL TIME,
SEEDS!



GEORGE,
YOU TAKE
THE DRIVER'S
SIDE. IF THE
LOCKS ARE UP,
GO INTO YOUR
ACT.

ROACH,
YOU COME
WITH ME.

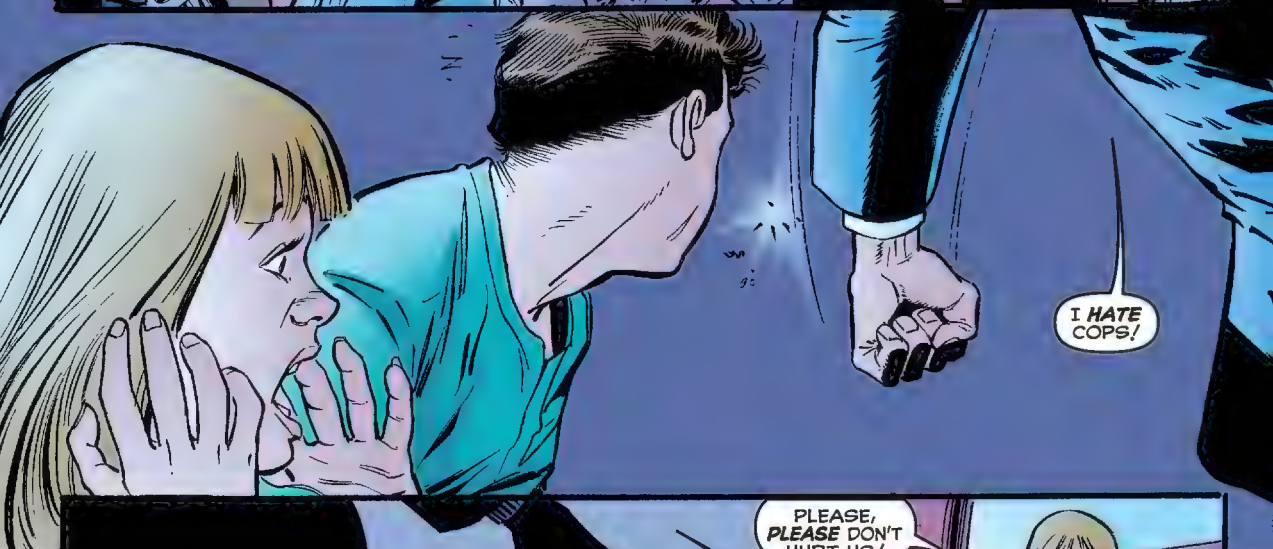
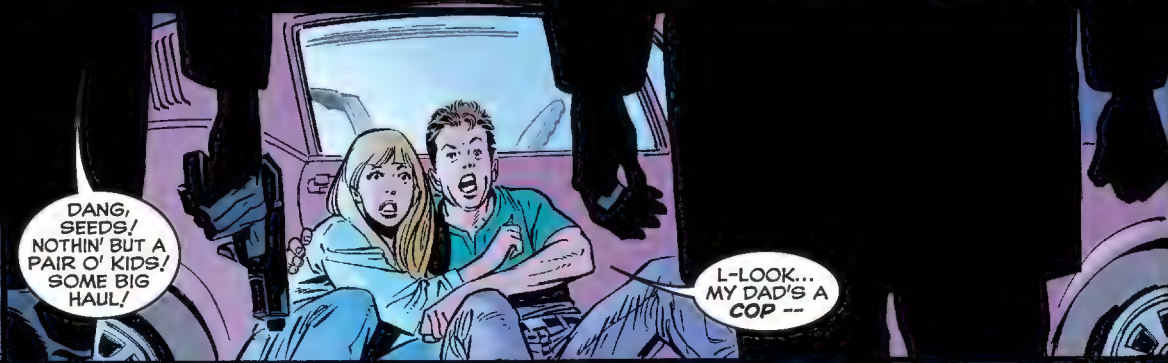
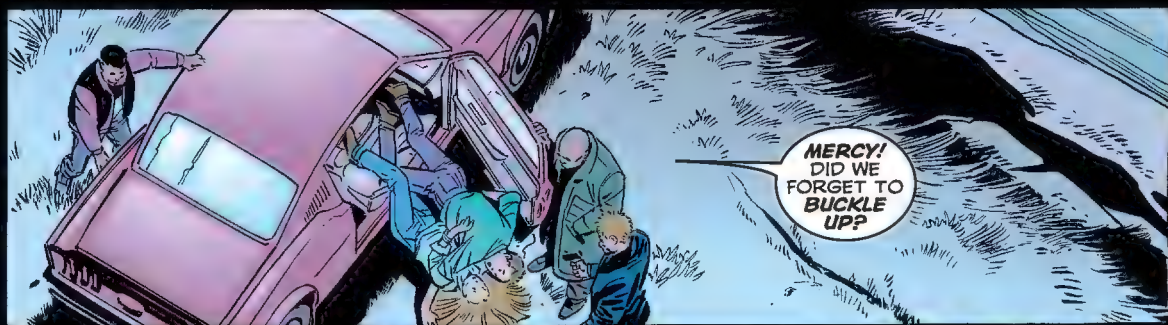


YO, MY
MAN/
GOT A
LIGHT?



JERRY!

HIT
THE LOCK,
KIM!





STEP
AWAY FROM
THE CAR AND
GIVE THE BOY
BACK HIS
WALLET!



YOU **BETTER**
BE A COP.

I AM.

NOW
STAND
AWAY FROM
THE VEHICLE,
PLEASE.



EVENING,
GENTLEMEN...







BULL!



OH YEAH?
THEN HOW'D IT
GO DOWN?

IT *DIDN'T*.
YOU GOT
BUSTED!

GOT
CAUGHT IN A
"DRAGNET"...



...OR
WAS IT A
**SPIDER-
WEB?**



ALL THAT STUFF
WAS IN THE *PAPERS*!
I'M *CAPPIN'* THIS
FOOL, SEEDS!



FIRE AWAY,
MR. ROACH --

-- I'M A
DEAD MAN
ALREADY.

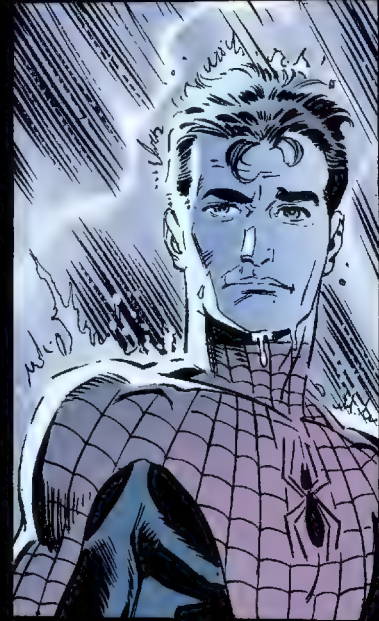
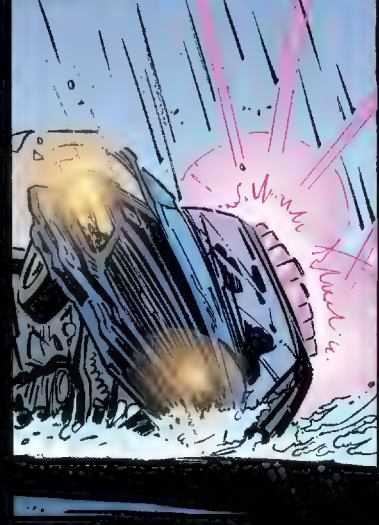






I'M THE
GUY WHO'S
GOING TO GIVE
YOU SPIDER-
MAN!

STAN LEE PRESENTS: GENTLEMAN'S AGREEMENT PART THREE





...SO, LET
ME GET THIS
STRAIGHT,
CABBY...

...YOU'RE TELLIN'
ME YOU CAN SET UP
A JEWEL HEIST FOR
THE FOUR OF US --
WHERE YOU'RE THE
INSIDE MAN...

...AND
YOU TAKE
HALF THE
SCORE.

NOW,
WHY WOULD
WE DO THAT
AGAIN?



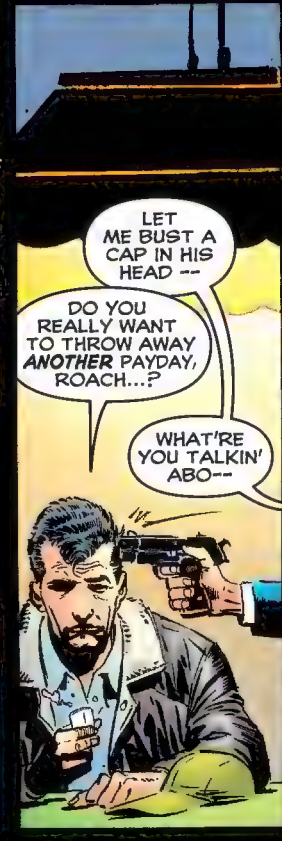
'CAUSE I
CAN GIVE YOU
SOMETHING
ELSE.



SPIDER-MAN.



SEEDS,
THIS IS BULL.
THIS GUY'S FULL
OF IT.



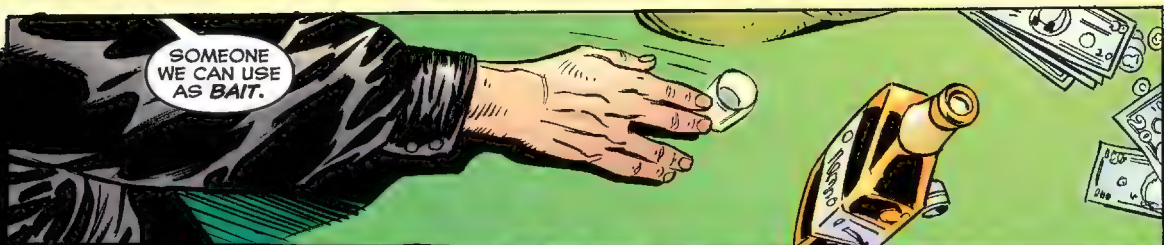
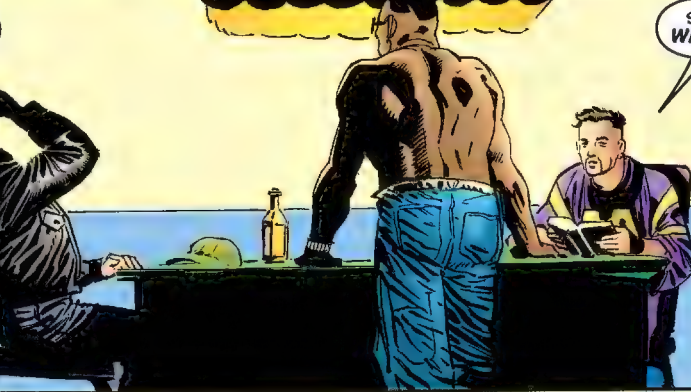
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ME BUST A
CAP IN HIS
HEAD --

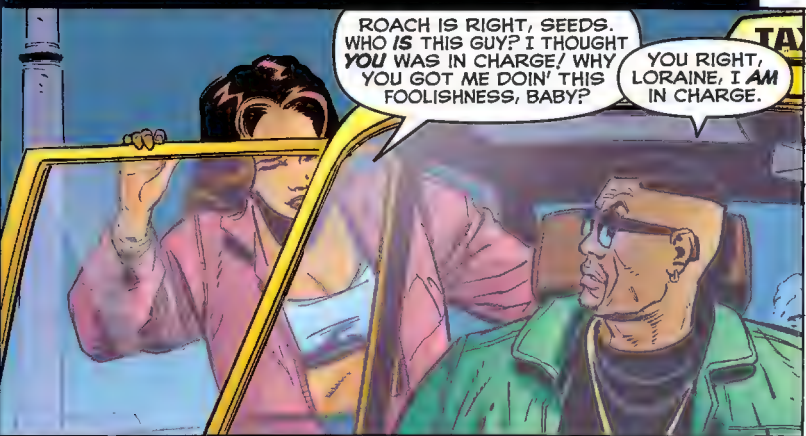
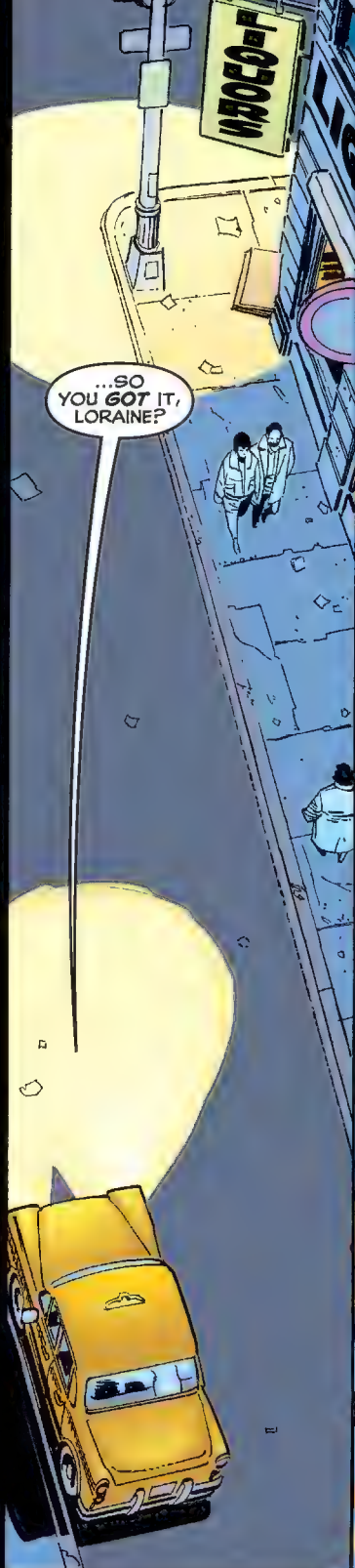
DO YOU
REALLY WANT
TO THROW AWAY
ANOTHER PAYDAY,
ROACH...?

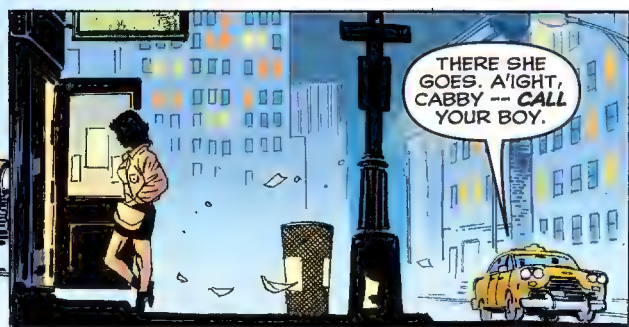
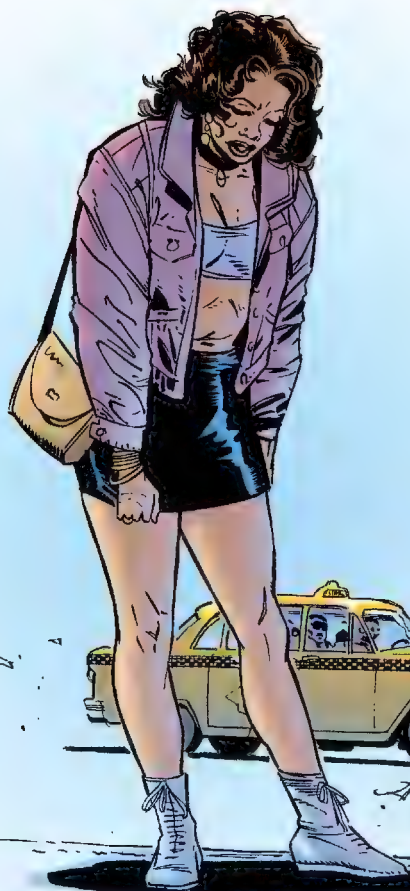
WHAT'RE
YOU TALKIN'
ABO--

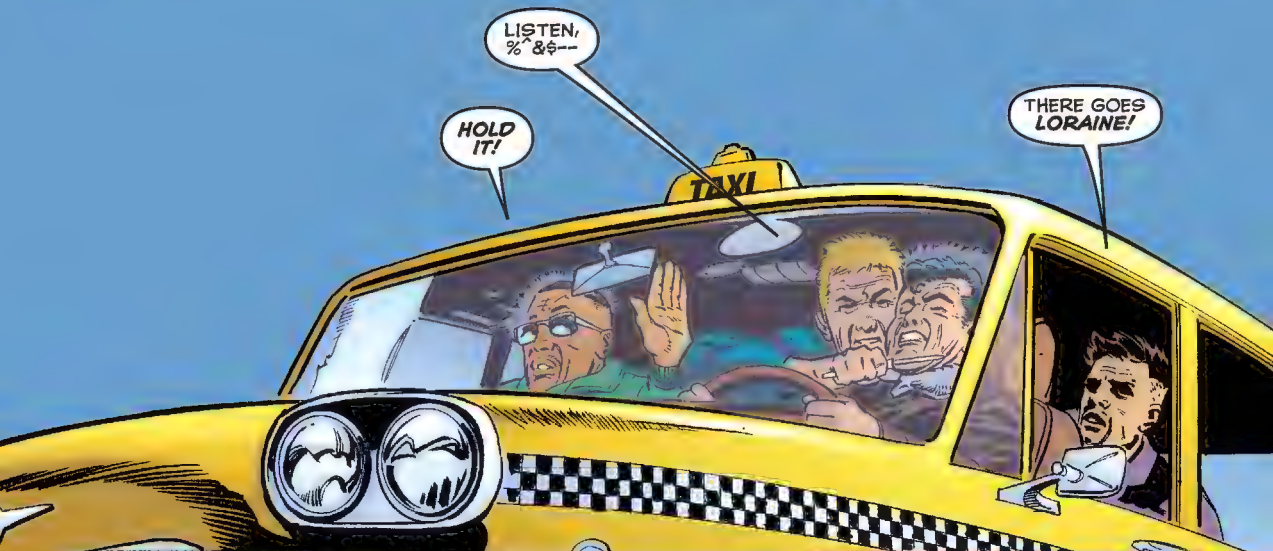
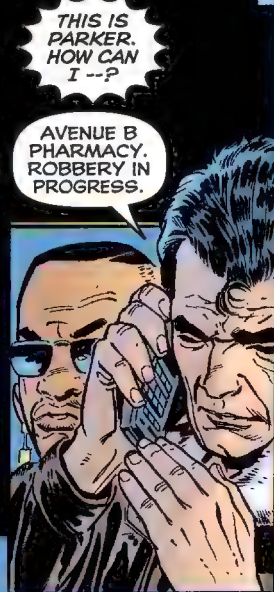


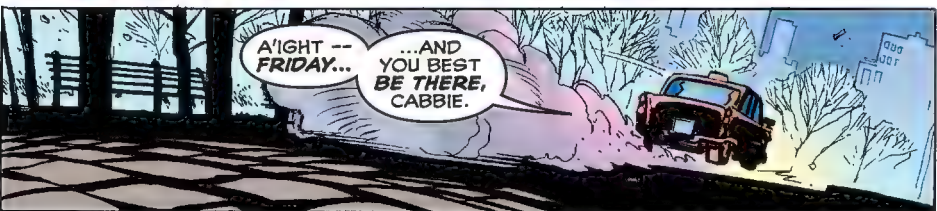
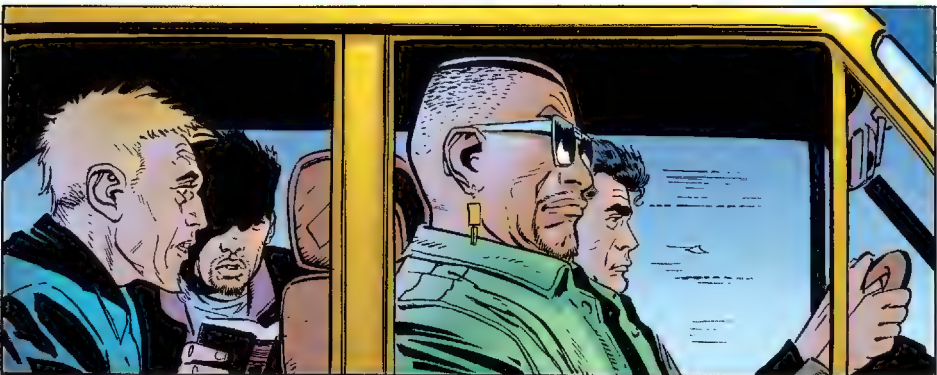
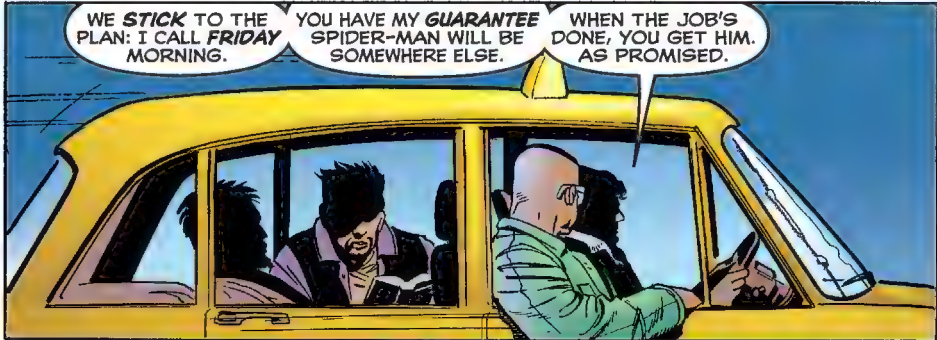
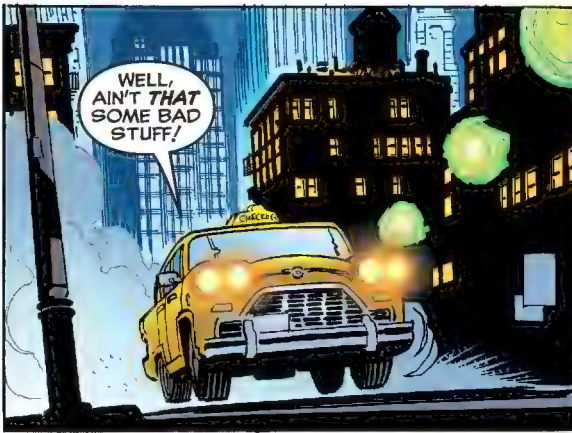
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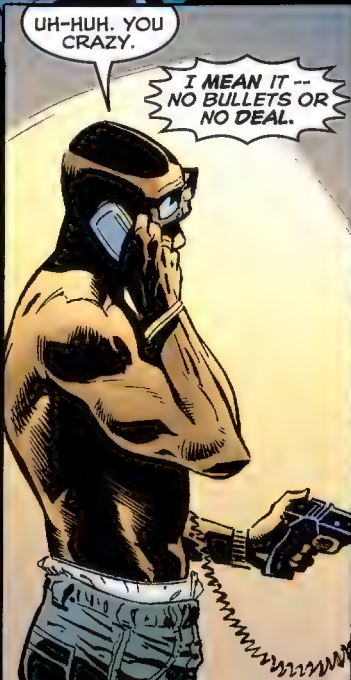
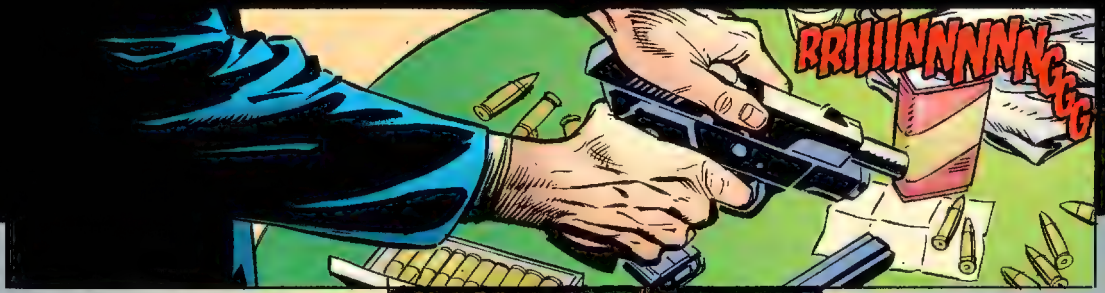


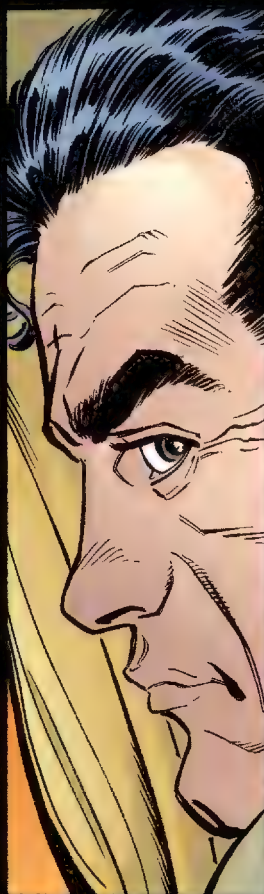
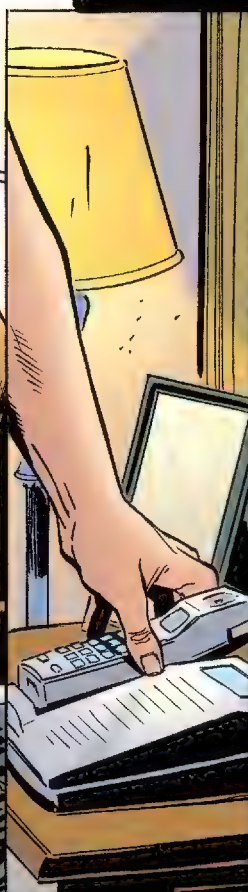


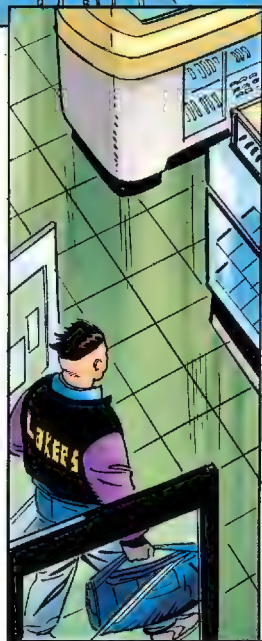


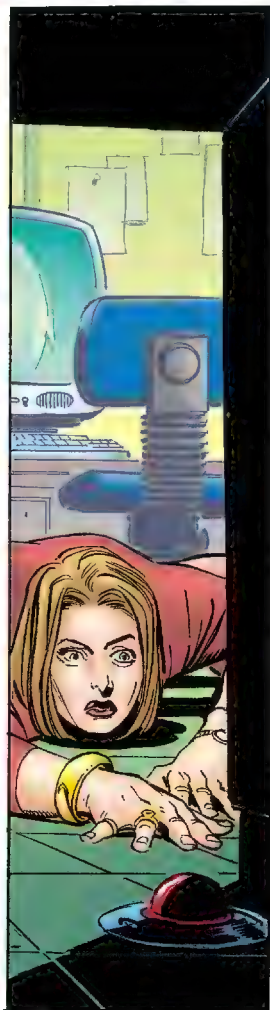
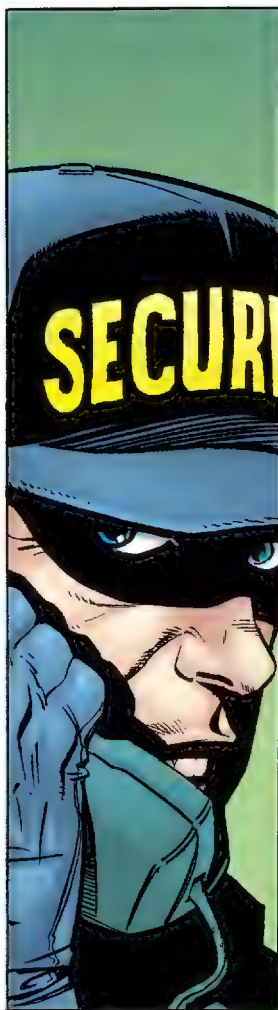
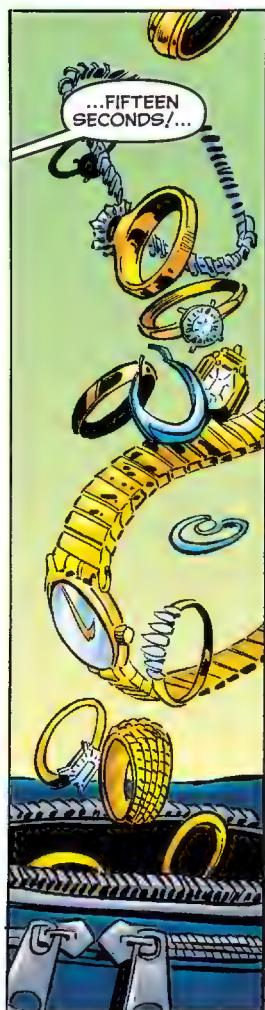
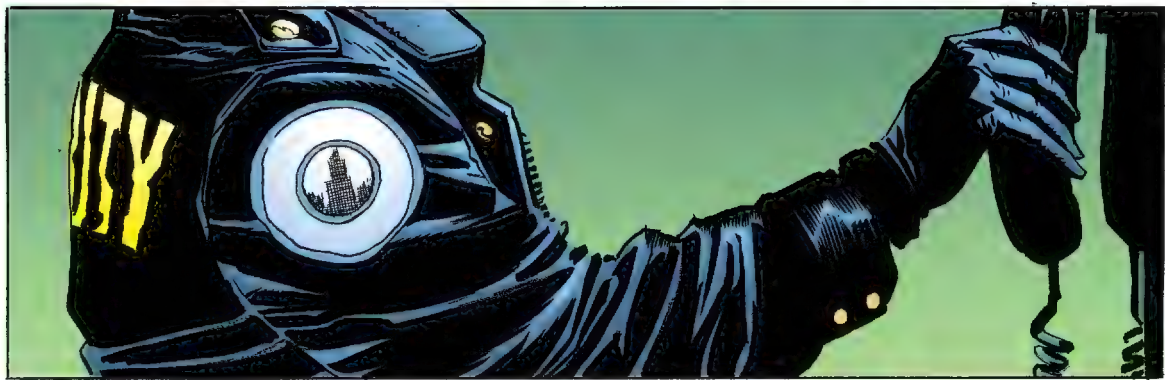
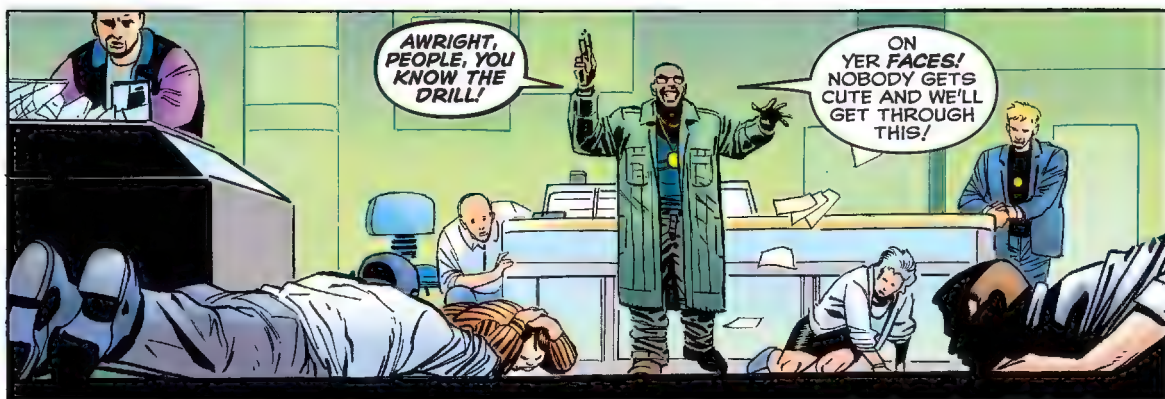


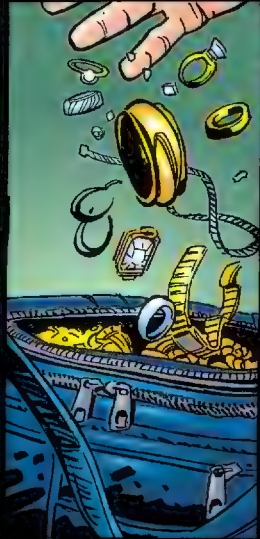
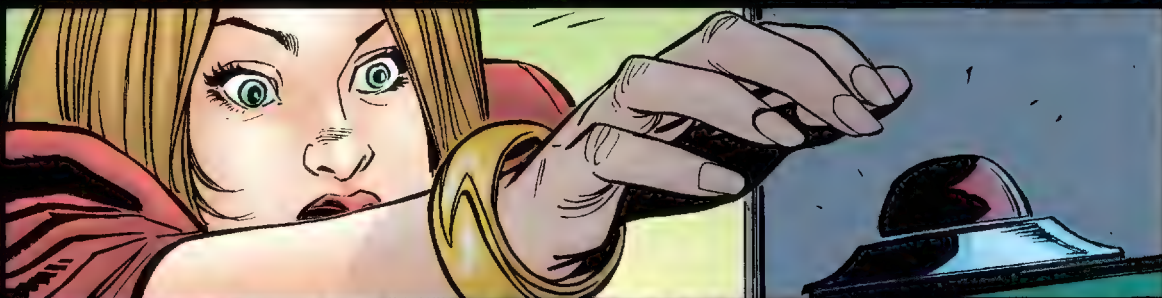




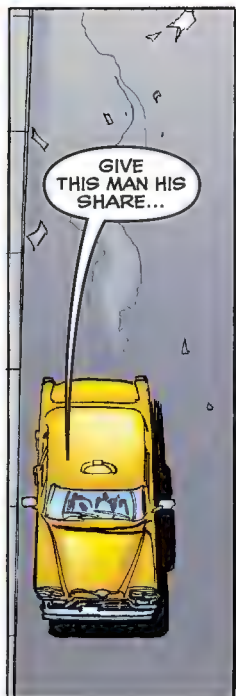
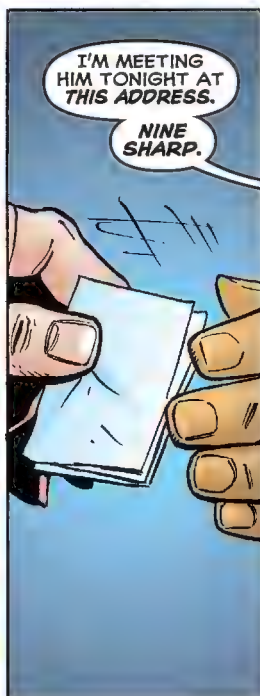
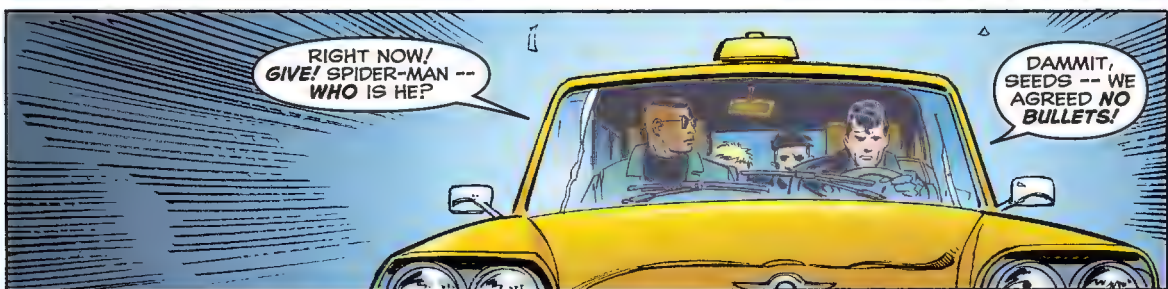
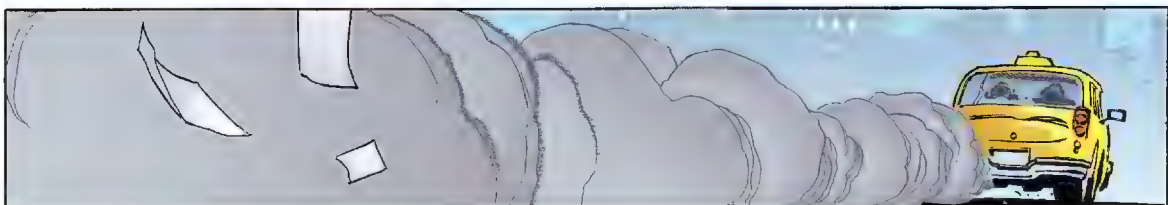


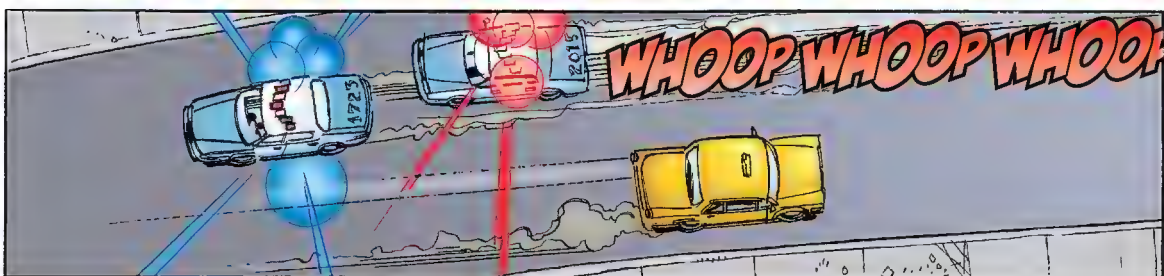
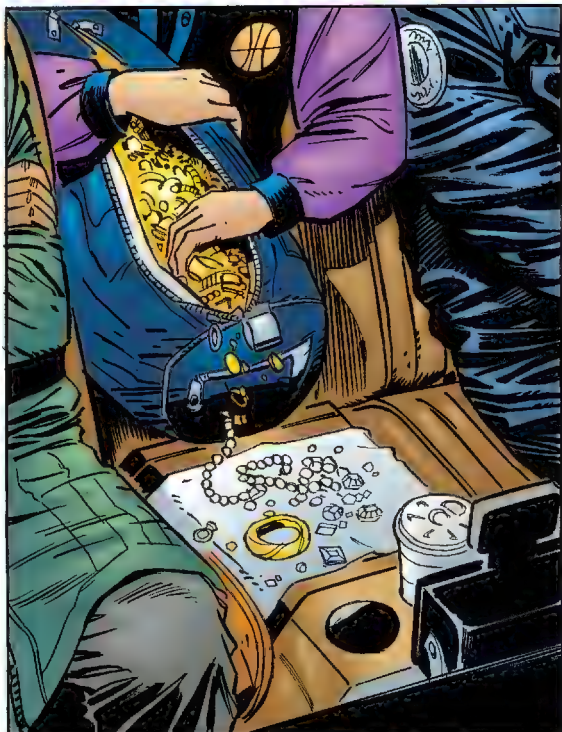
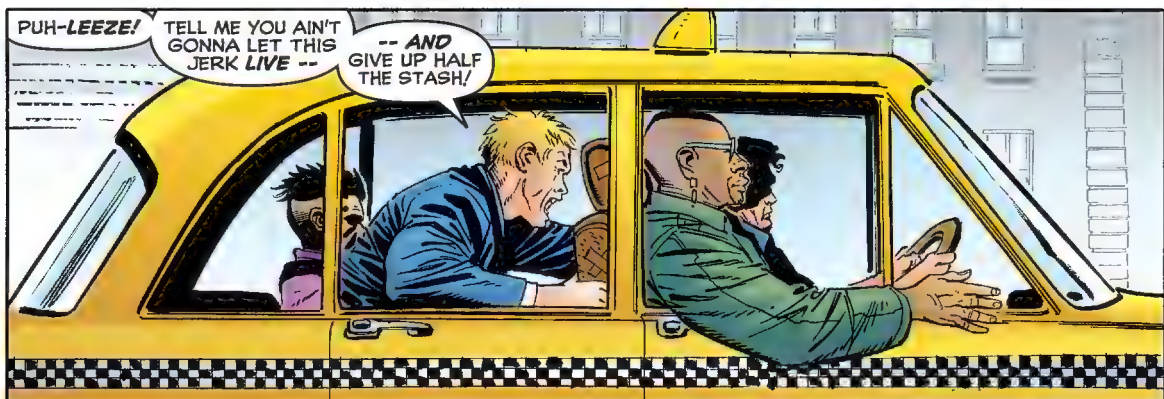


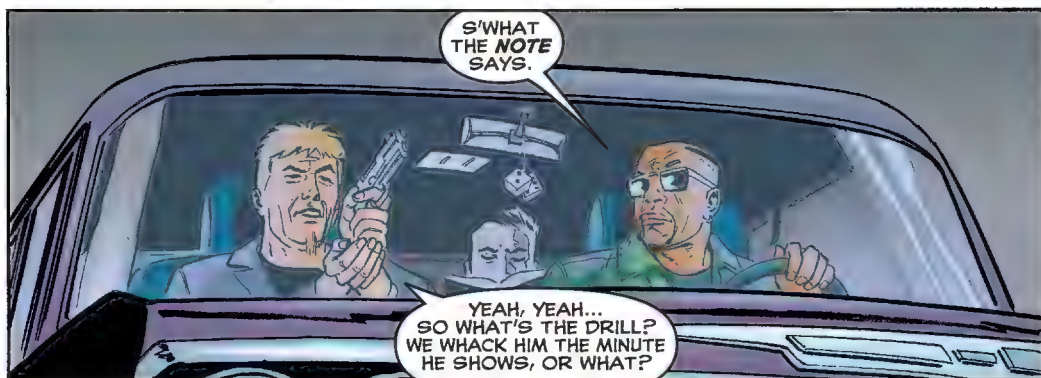
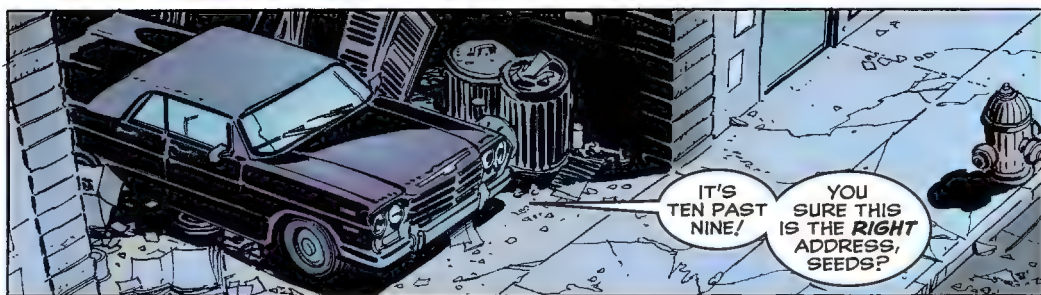




CLANGCLANGCLANGCLANG



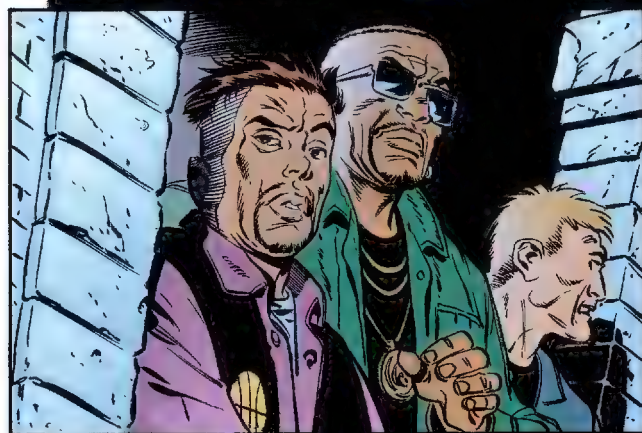
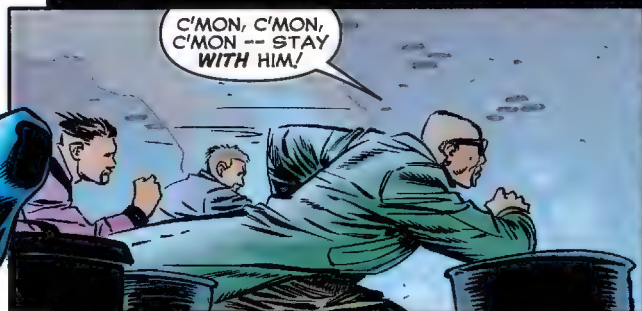
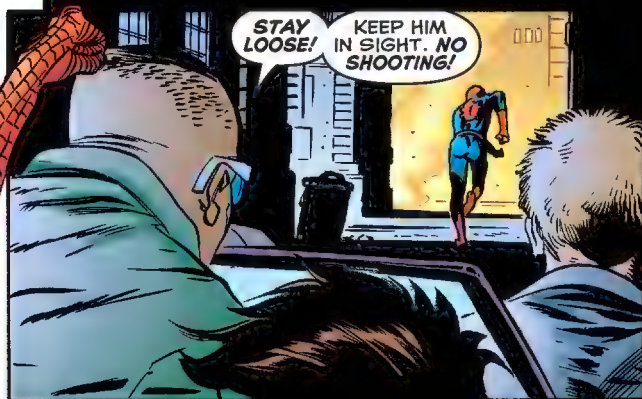






WHOA!

THERE
HE IS!



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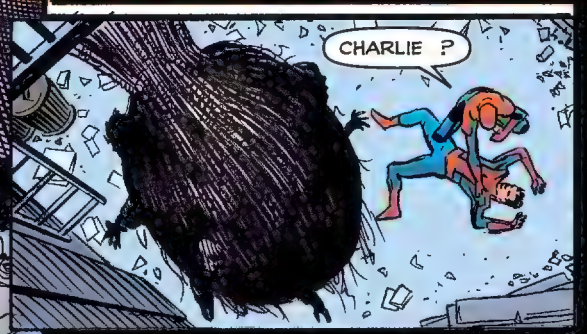
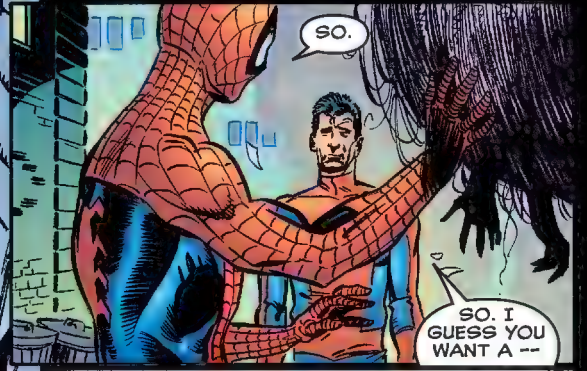
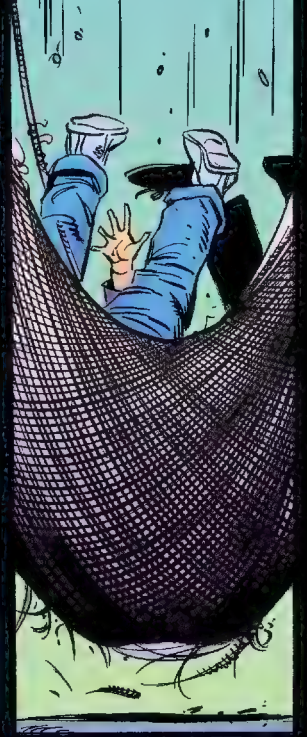
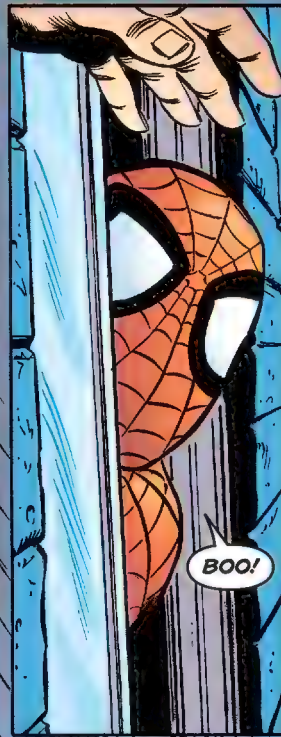


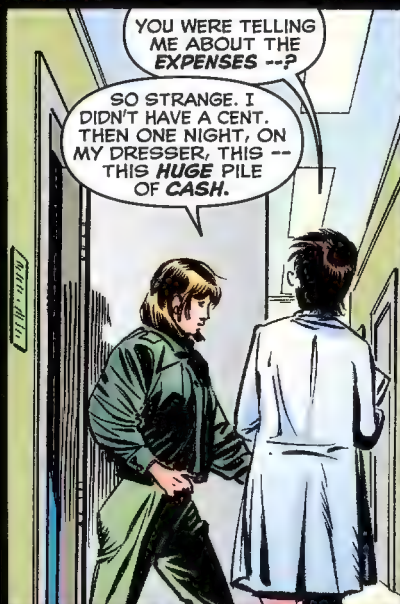
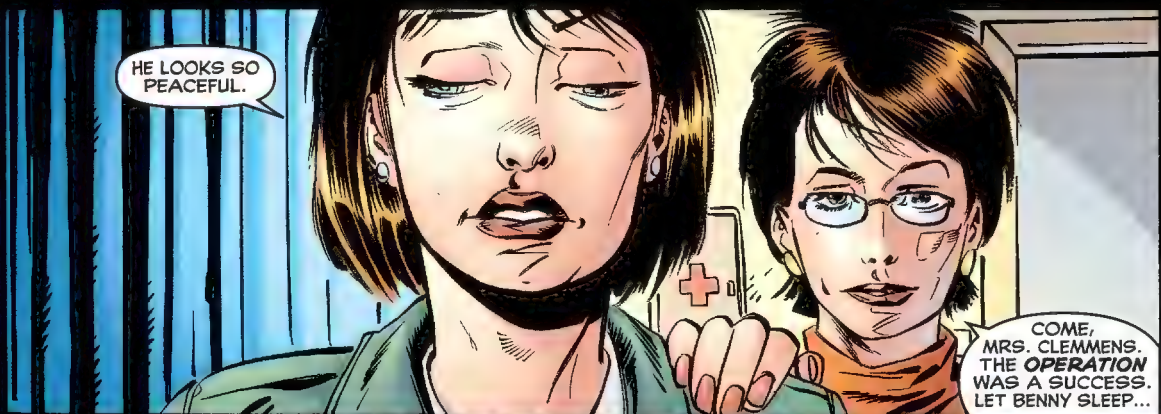
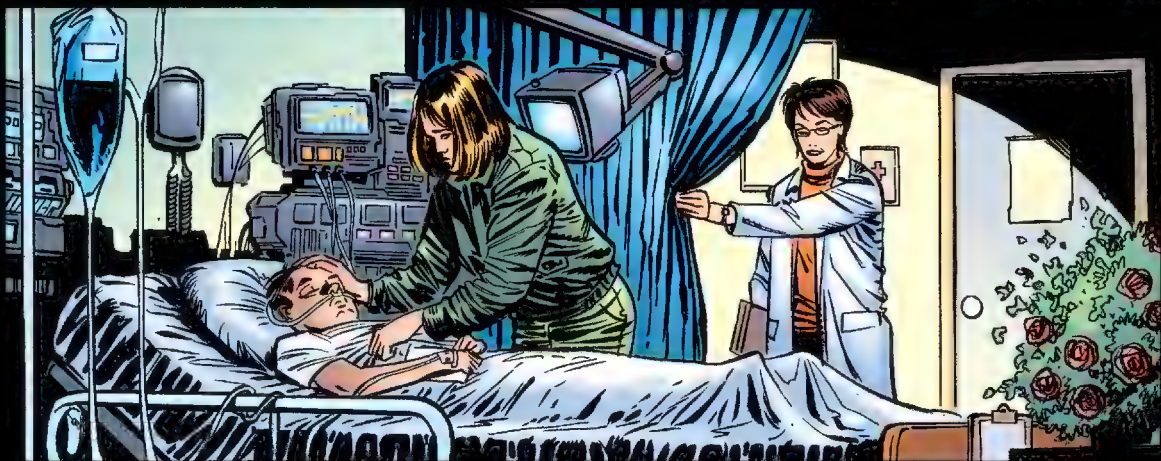
...Oh...
MY...

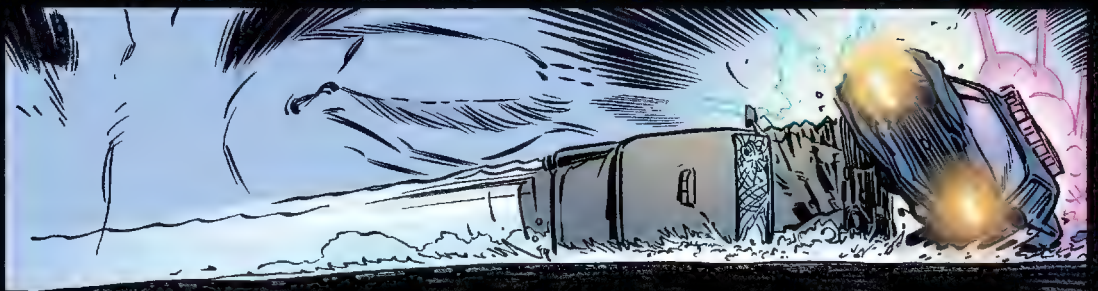
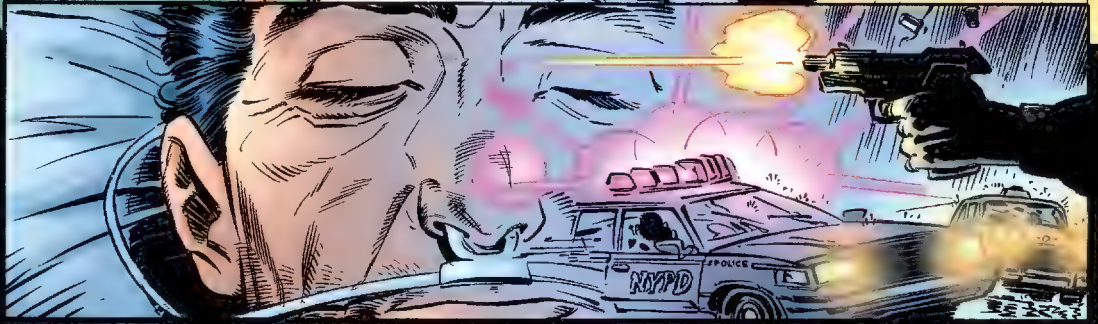
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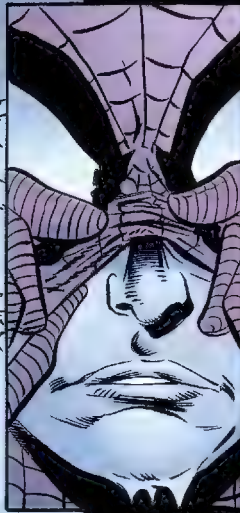
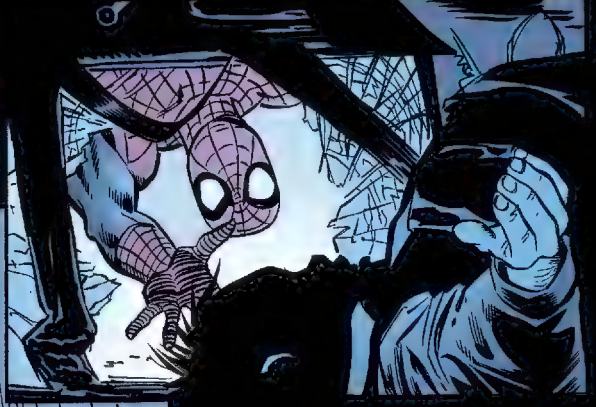
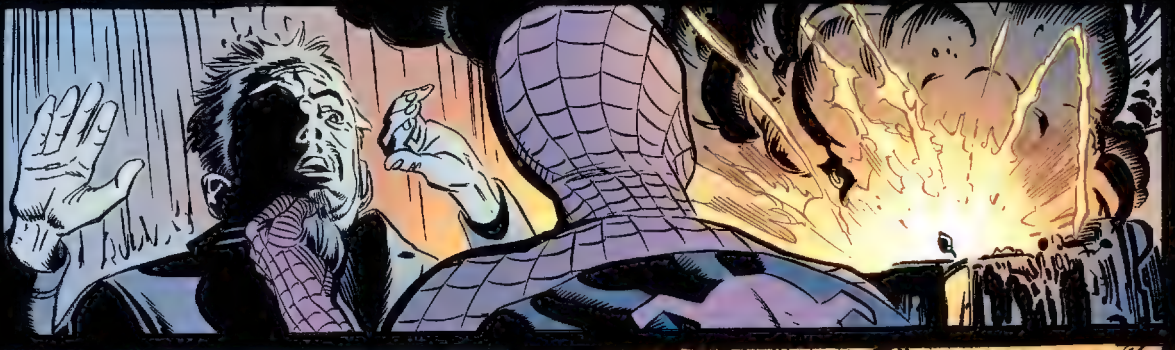


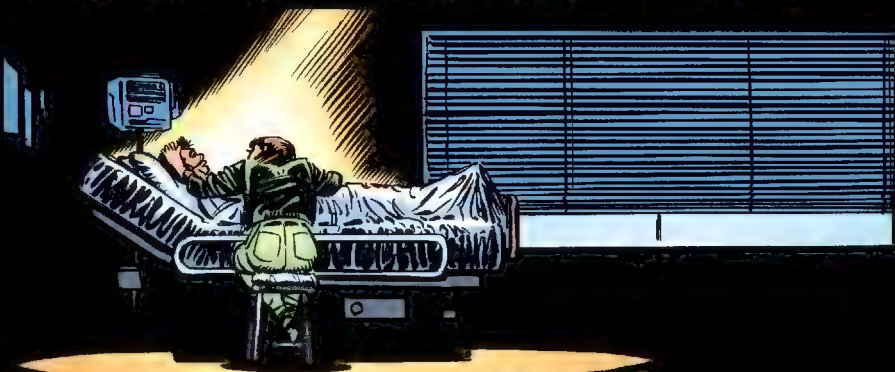
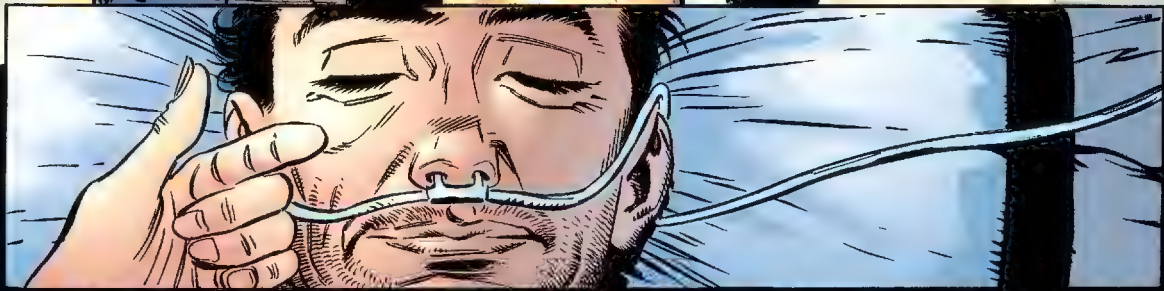












THE END



DRAT!
CURSE YOU, WALL-
WALKER!

**POW ZAP
ZNG**



OF *COURSE*
I WANT TO GO OUT
TONIGHT...

OF *COURSE*
I *LIKE* YOU, IT'S
JUST THAT --

KASEY!
TURN DOWN
THE TV. I
CAN'T --

NO, *NOT*
YOU. MY LITTLE
BROTHER.

HEY/
I NEVER
SAID --

WHAT?

OH YEAH?
THEN *FINE*, GO
WITH BOBBY, I
DON'T CARE!

SLAM

THINK YOU'RE
HERO ENOUGH
TO CATCH ME,
BUG-HEAD?

THOSE
EXPLODING
WATCHES SHOULD
STOP YOUR
CLOCK!





WHO NEEDS
STUPID *GIRLS*,
ANYWAY?



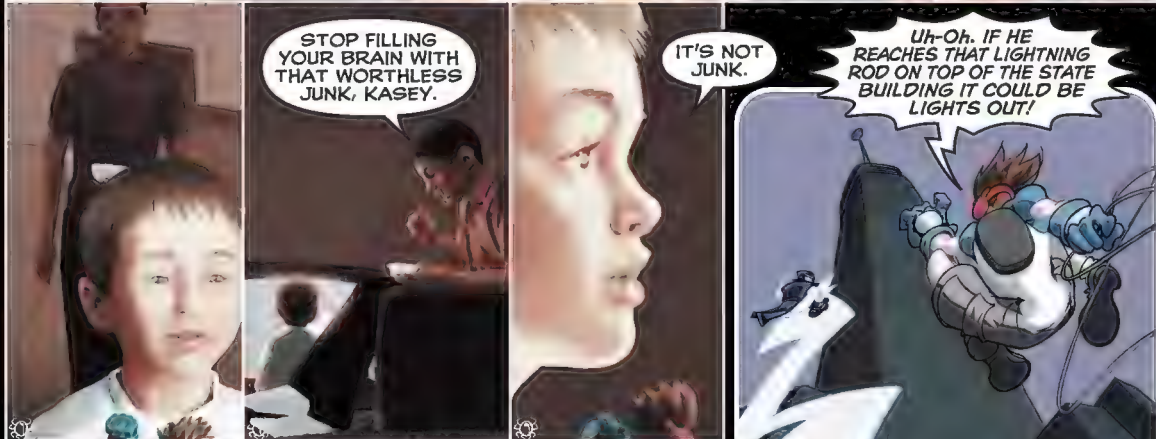
BOYS...
}COUGH} SETTLE
DOWN! DON'T MAKE
ME GET OUTTA BED!
}COUGH}



OH
GREAT. SHE
OUTTA MEDS
AGAIN?

MOM'S BEEN
CRYING.
A LOT.

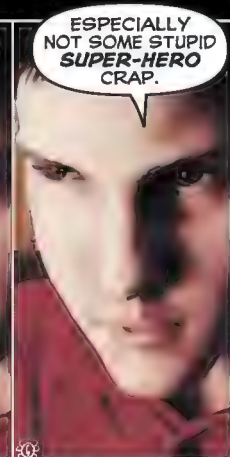
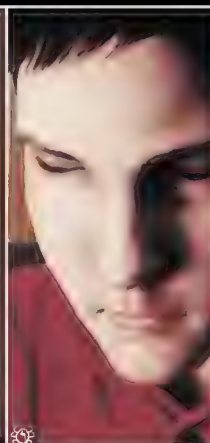
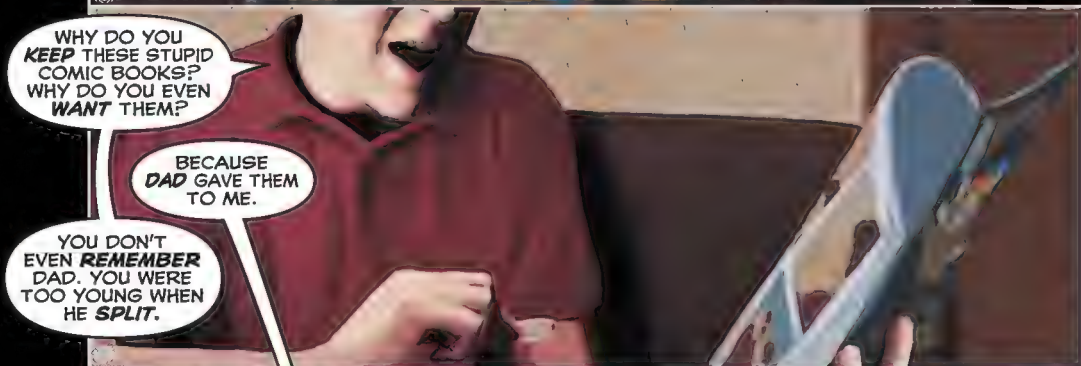
YEAH. I
KNOW.



STOP FILLING
YOUR BRAIN WITH
THAT WORTHLESS
JUNK, KASEY.

IT'S NOT
JUNK.

Uh-Oh. IF HE
REACHES THAT LIGHTNING
ROD ON TOP OF THE STATE
BUILDING IT COULD BE
LIGHTS OUT!



NO THEY'RE NOT. **YOU'RE** THE ONE WHO'S LAME.

CLICK

...HOW FINDS THE JURY?

KASEY, YOU BETTER LISTEN TO ME. IN REAL LIFE, THERE ARE NO **HEROES** -- JUST BIG SELFISH FREAKS WHO DO WHAT THEY WANT AND WHEN THEY WANT!

THEY DON'T CARE ABOUT PEOPLE LIKE **US**.

UH-OH... INSECT ANTENNA MILDLY BURNING...

SPIDER-MAN'S NOT A FREAK. AND HE **CARES** AND HE'S **STRONG** AND, AND, AND HE **KICKS BUTT**.

HE DOESN'T GET BEAT UP... LIKE...

...LIKE YOU DO.

YOU KNOW, YOU'RE RIGHT: IF I HAD **SUPER-POWERS**, I WOULDN'T GET PICKED ON.

HEY!

AND I WOULDN'T HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF A MOM WHO LIES IN BED ALL DAY AND CRIES HERSELF TO SLEEP EVERY NIGHT.

GIVE THAT BACK!

AND I WOULDN'T HAVE TO SPEND ALL MY TIME LOOKING AFTER AN ANNOYING LITTLE **BRAT** LIKE YOU!

YEAH? WELL I WISH SPIDER-MAN WOULD TAKE CARE OF ME **STEADA** YOU!

GUILTY! AND SENTENCED TO **ELECTROCUTION!**

YOU THINK SPIDER-MAN'D TAKE CARE OF A LITTLE KID LIKE **YOU**? WHY WOULD HE DO THAT?

BECAUSE HE'S A **HERO!**

IT'S GONNA TAKE MORE THAN TRASH TALK TO SELL ME YOUR GARBAGE, **LIGHTNING PANTS!**

HERO!?
WHEN YOU GROW
UP LIKE ME YOU'RE
GOING TO FIND OUT
THERE ARE NO
HEROES.



THE ONLY
PERSON YOU CAN
DEPEND ON IS
YOURSELF.



IT DOESN'T
MATTER HOW
COOL YOU THINK
THAT FREAK
IS --



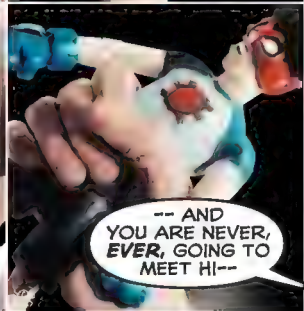
-- BECAUSE
HE DOESN'T
CARE ABOUT
ME --



STOP
IT!

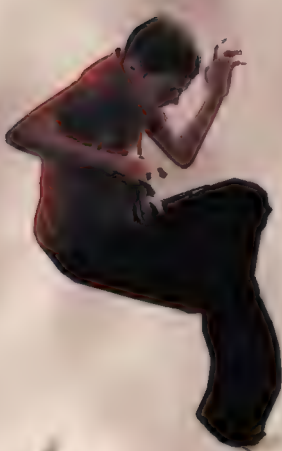
-- OR
YOU --

STOP
IT!

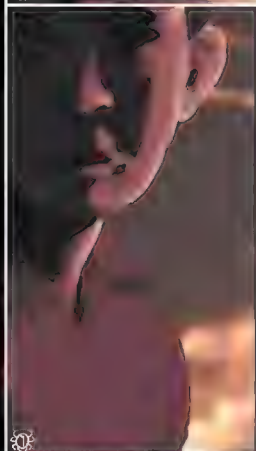
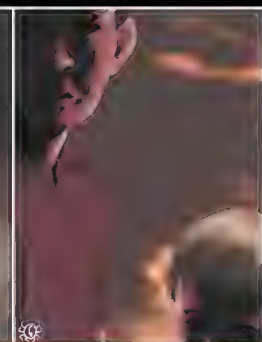
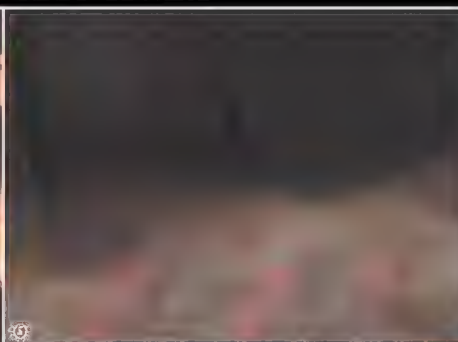
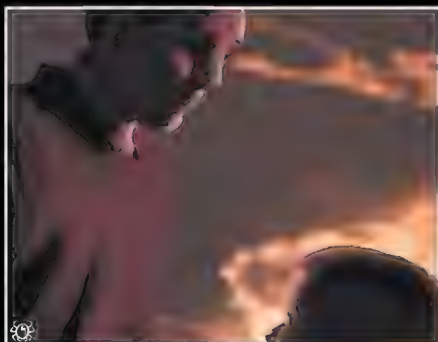
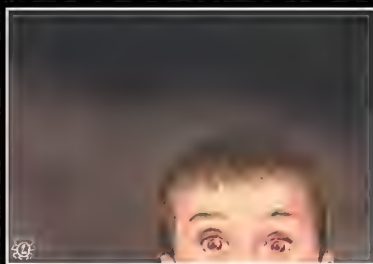
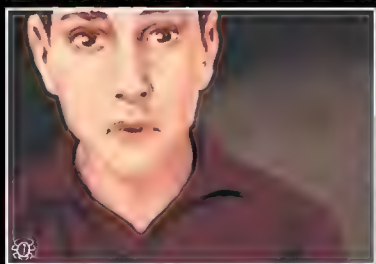


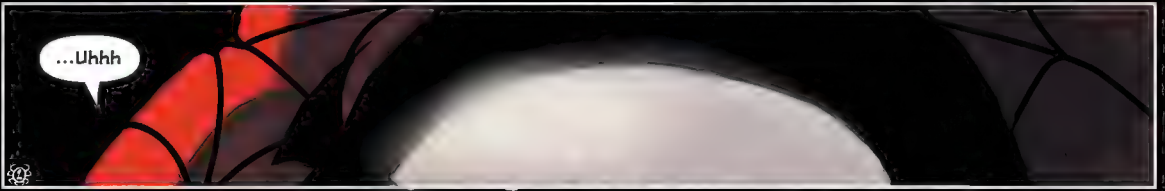
-- AND
YOU ARE NEVER,
EVER, GOING TO
MEET HI--

CRASH



LET'S
FIND
OUT!

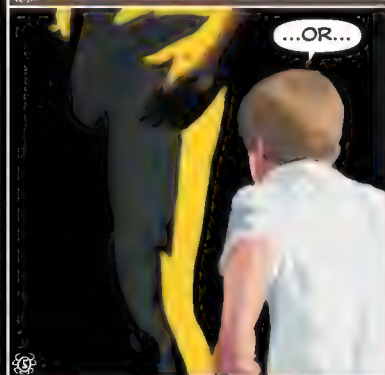






I'VE GOT
BUSINESS WITH
THE **BUG**.





**STAY
AWAY FROM
HIM!**





THWIP

AAAAAAAAGH

WOW!

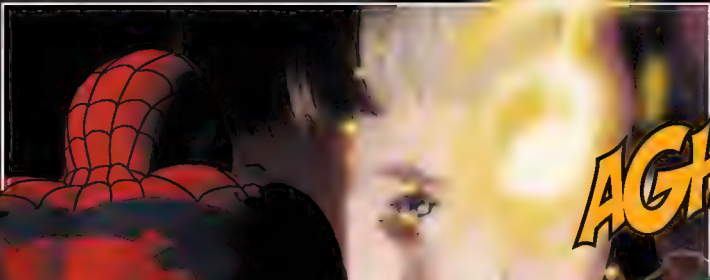


POW

SMASH



OOOF



AGHK

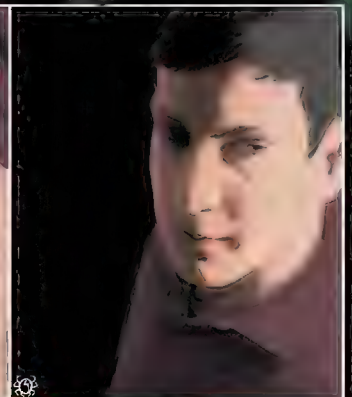
CRASH



YOU GUYS OKAY?
WHERE ARE YOUR PARENTS?
OUR MOMMY'S IN HER BEDROOM.
AND YOUR FATHER?



WE DON'T HAVE A DADDY ANYMORE.



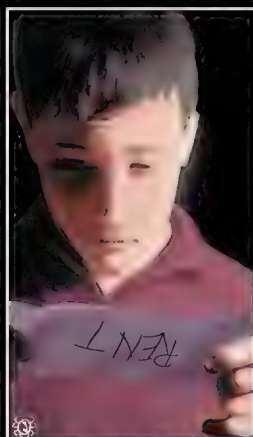
SORRY, GUYS...

...I CAN RELATE.

OH REALLY?
A GUY LIKE YOU...?



TRUST ME.



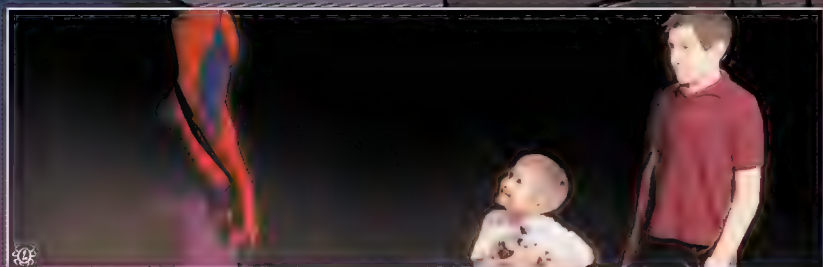
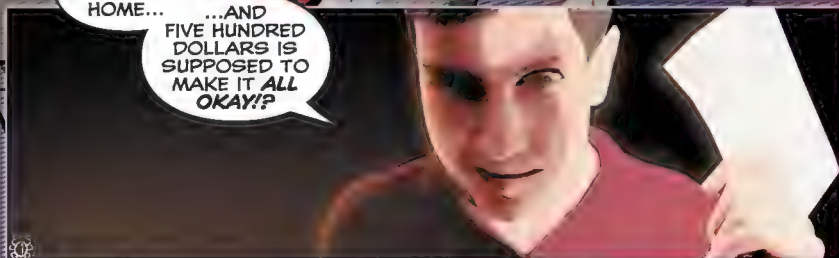


FIVE
HUNDRED
DOLLARS? YOU
PUT A **HOLE**
THROUGH OUR
WALL...

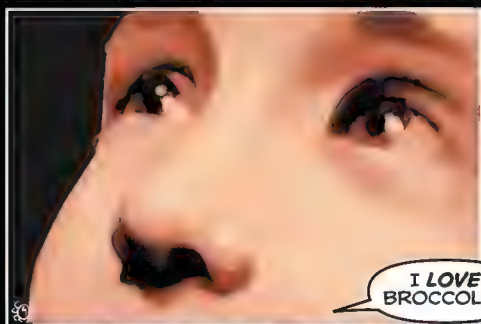
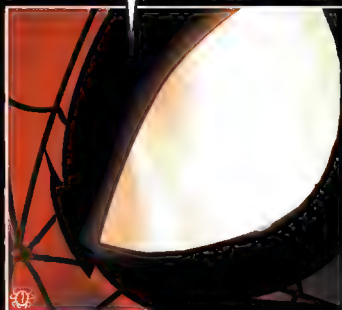
...YOU
ALMOST GET US
KILLED...

...YOU
DESTROY
OUR ENTIRE
HOME...

...AND
FIVE HUNDRED
DOLLARS IS
SUPPOSED TO
MAKE IT **ALL**
OKAY!?

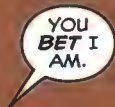


...AND
HOPES EVERYTHING
WORKS OUT.



I LOVE
BROCCOLI...

by





...YOU'LL
SPOT THE
INSECT-MAN!!

YOU BOYS
CLOSE THOSE
WINDOWS...
RIGHT NOW!...
~~SCOUGH~~ IT'S
FREEZING IN
HERE.

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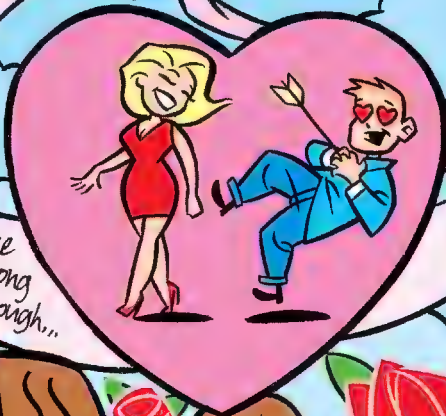
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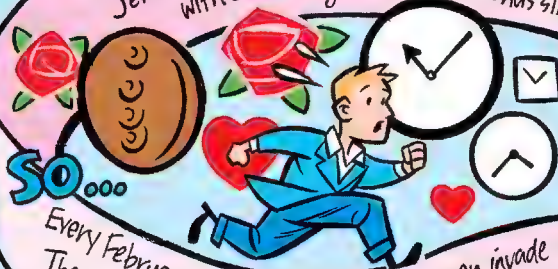
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Valentine's Day



Okay, it's not a real holiday... probably created by some Jerk who owns a greeting card company. Still, what's wrong with celebrating romance? It sounds simple enough...

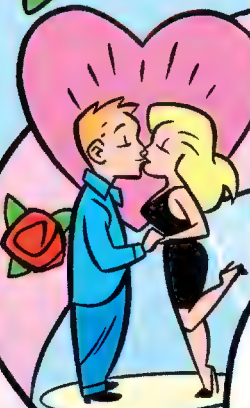


SO...

Every February 14, millions of desperate men invade boutiques and shops like locusts... They buy thousands of pounds of chocolate, gallons of perfume and acres of flowers

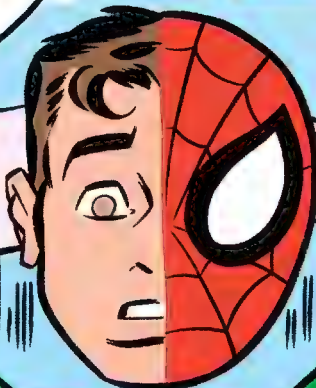
THEN...

They're ready for a night on the town with their betrothed... throw a little money around... A little dinner, some drinks, dancing -



AND...

If you play your cards right and don't screw up, you just might get a little lovin'. Sounds simple enough...



...Unless, of course, your name is **PETER PARKER**...



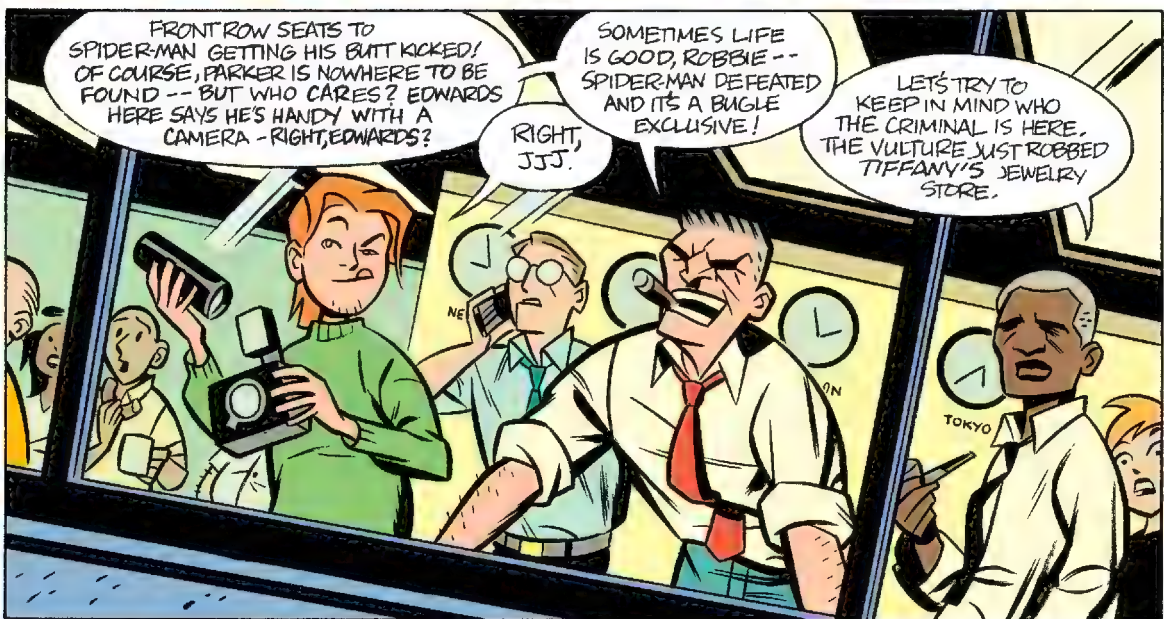
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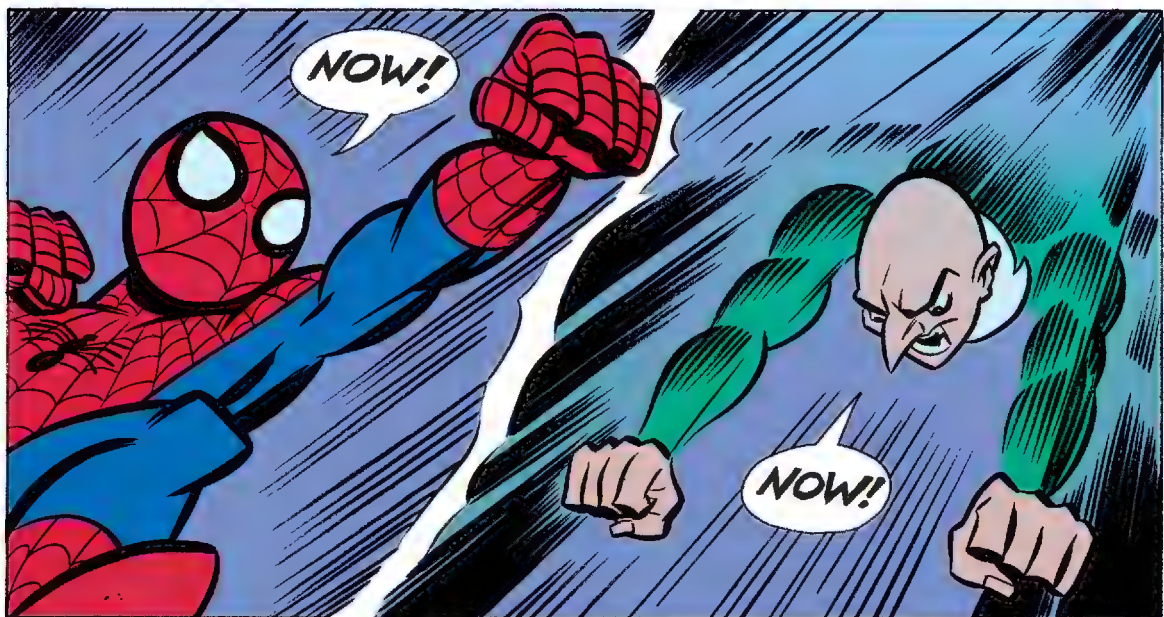
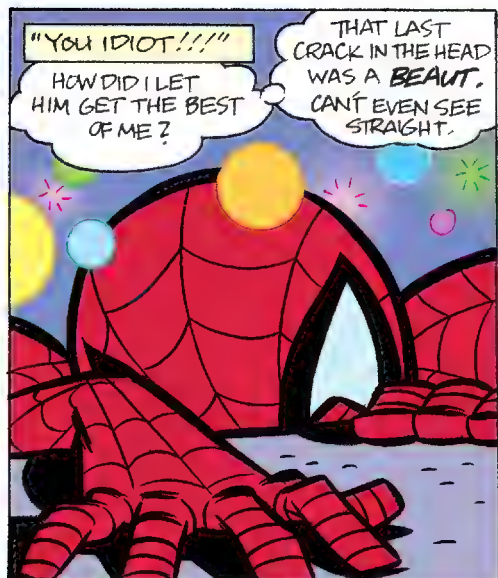
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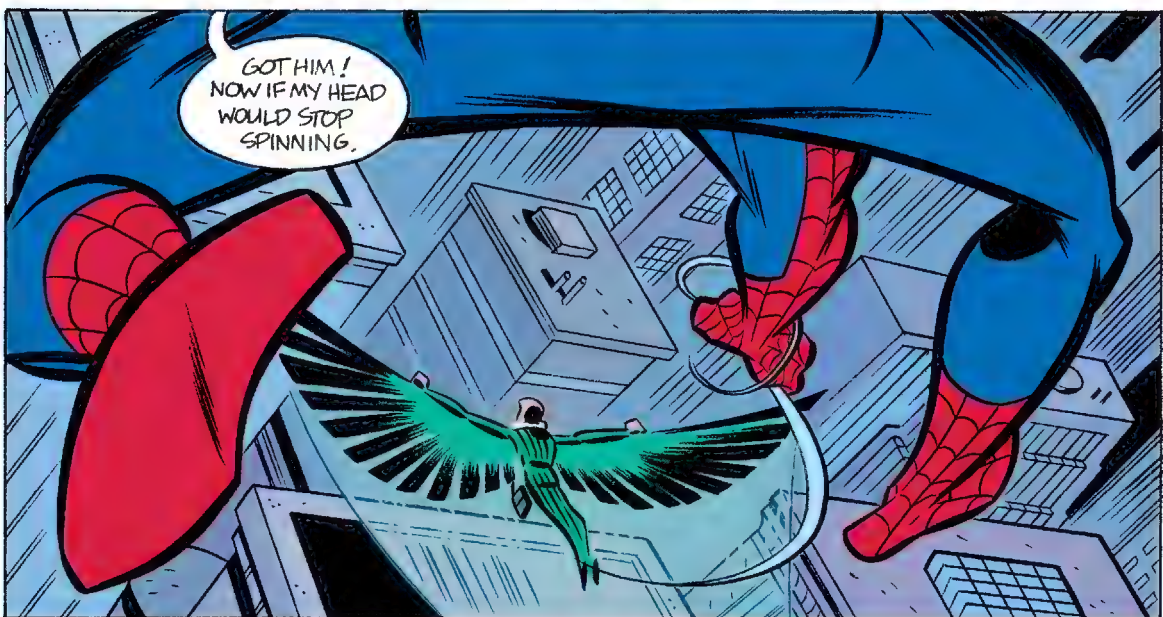
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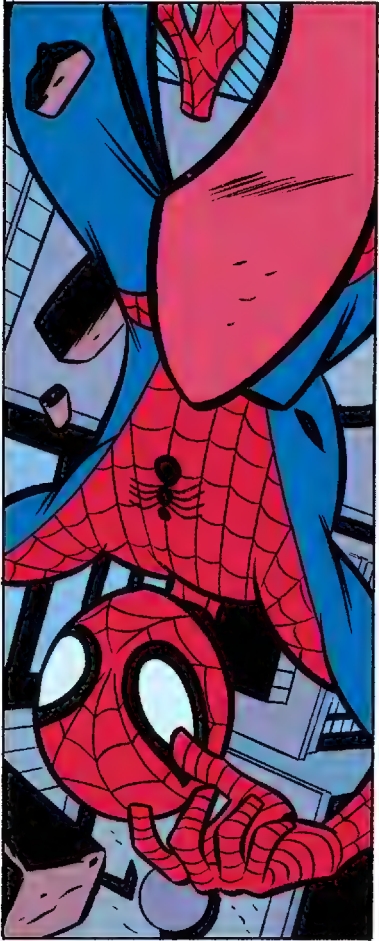


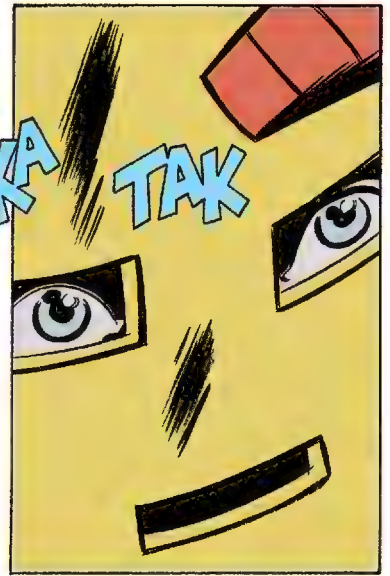


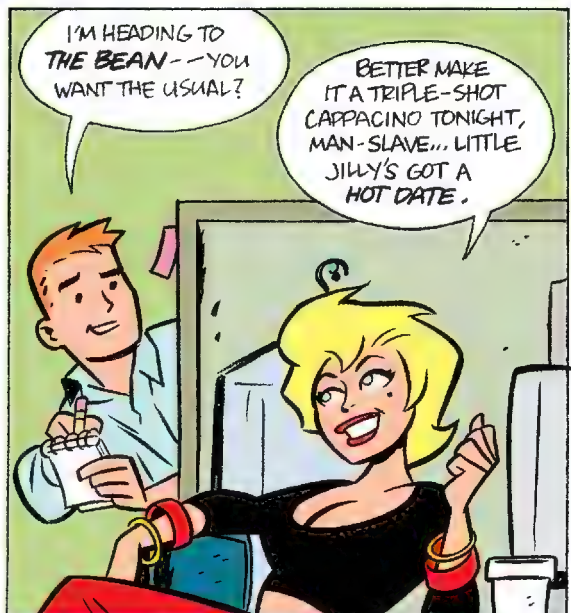




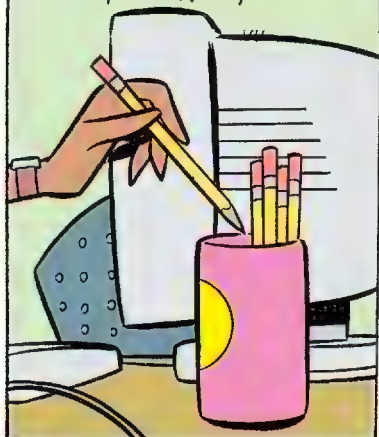








-- Downtown earlier today, the notorious Vulture committed a daring daylight robbery at Tiffany's --



Despite the interference of Spider-man the Vulture was able to make off with "the Heart of Romania", a priceless diamond engagement ring --



The Ring is said to be a gift from Prince Rainier to a Romanian peasant girl on Valentine's Day, 1752 --



A Tiffany's spokesperson valued the ring at over two million dollars. As for Spider-man --

CLIK



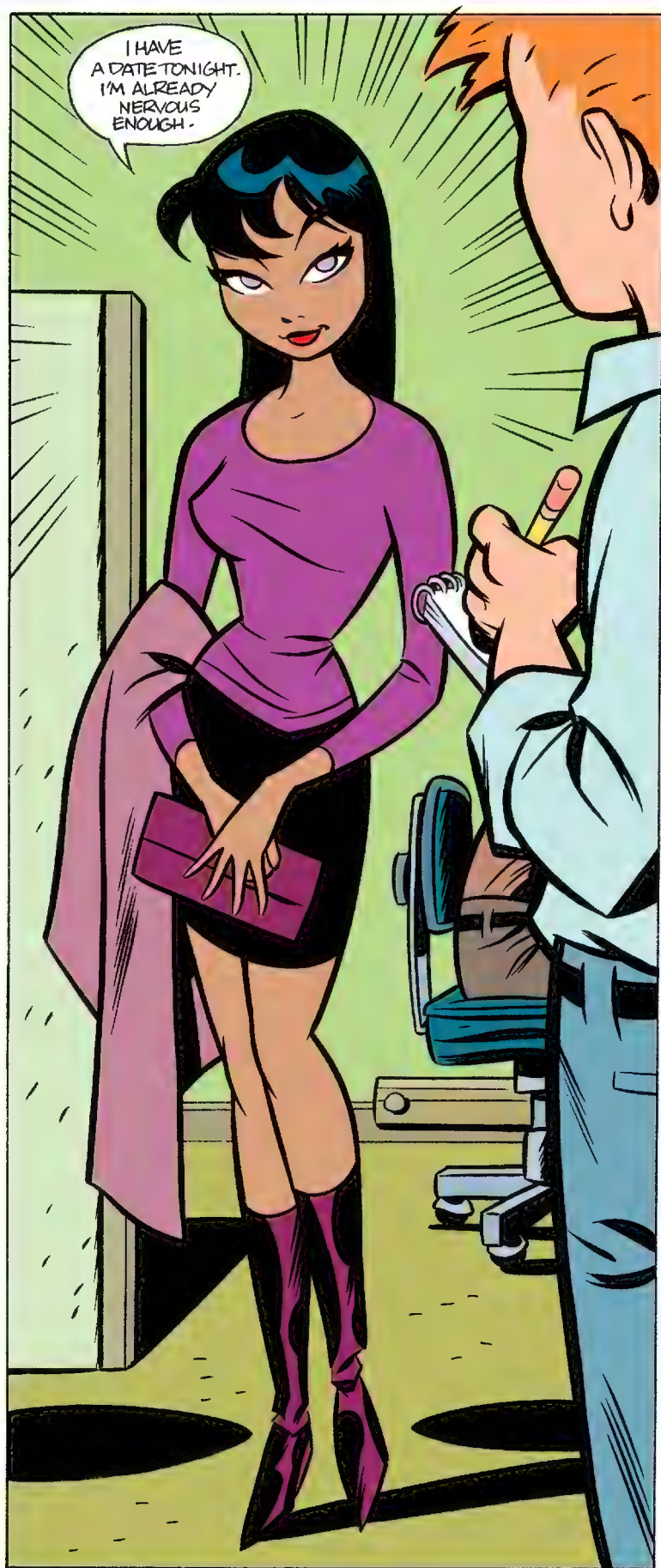
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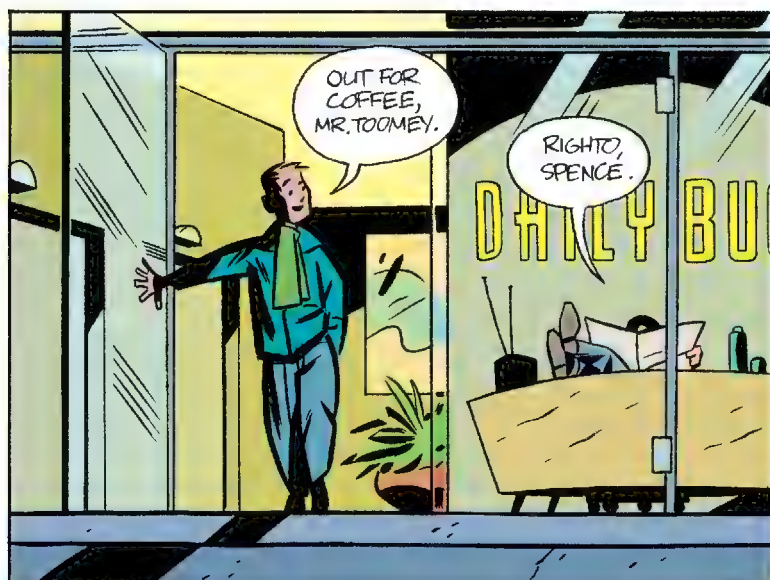
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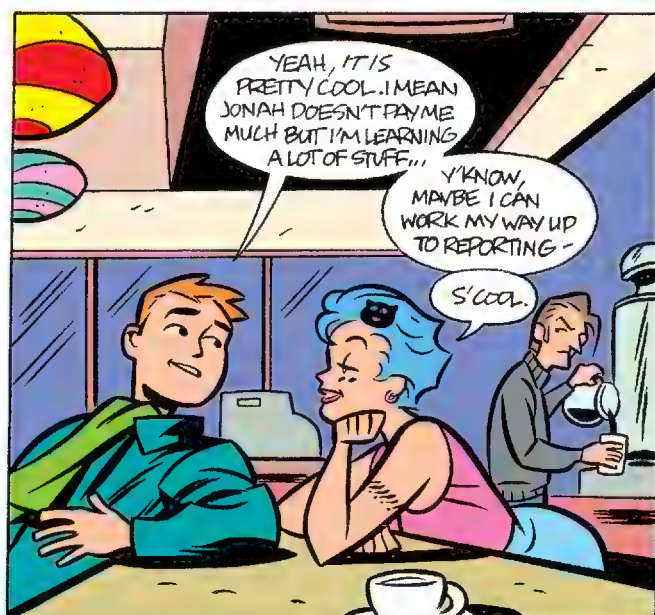
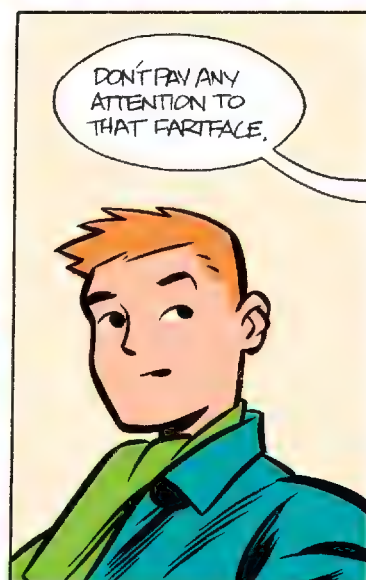


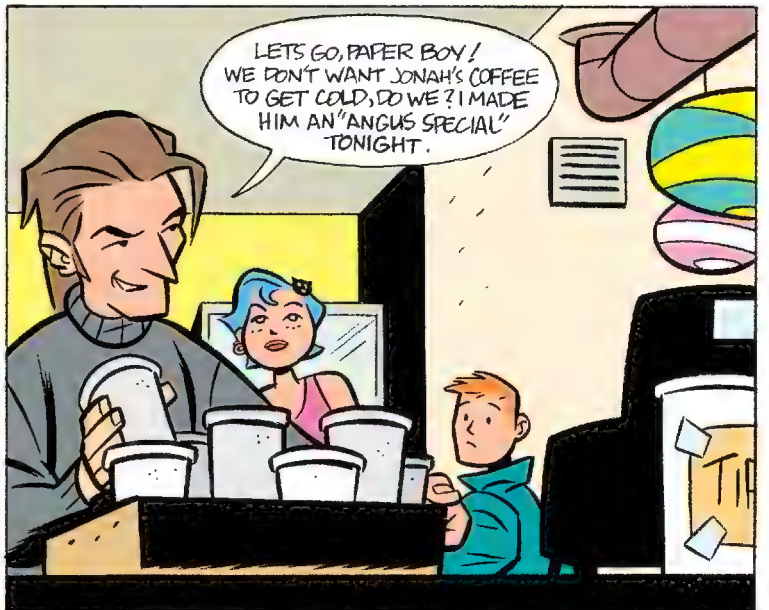
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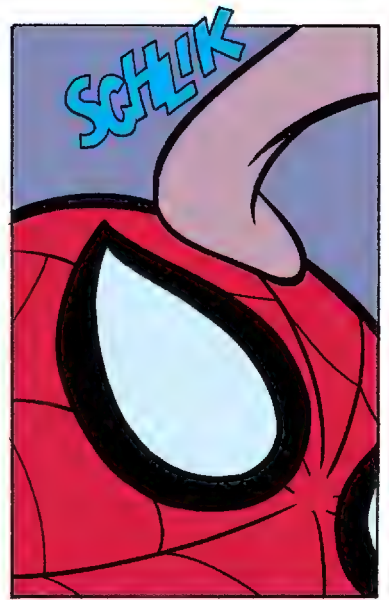
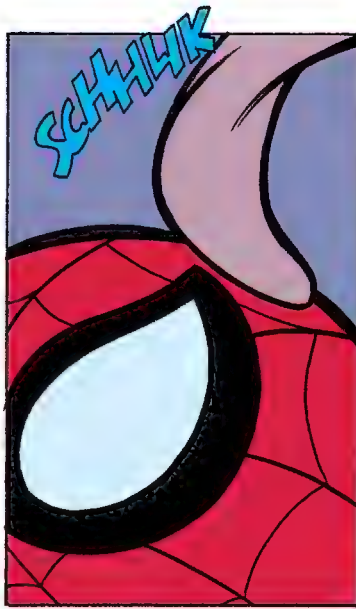


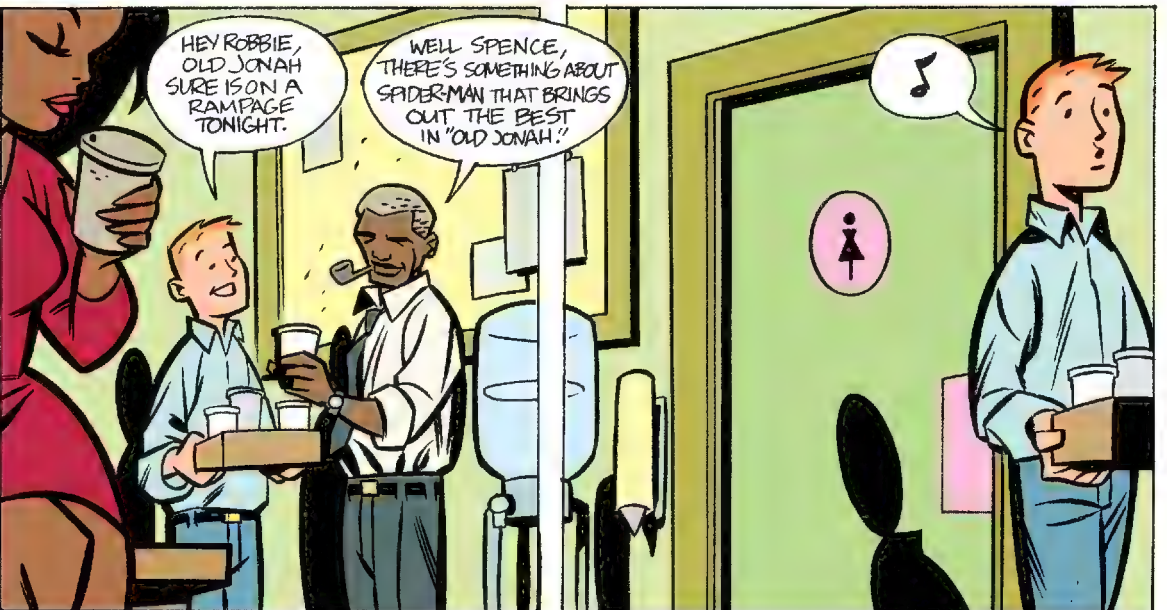
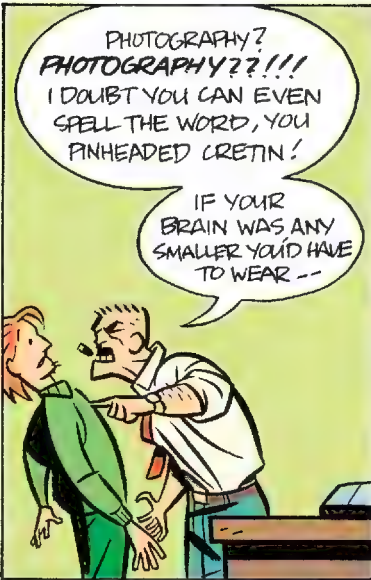
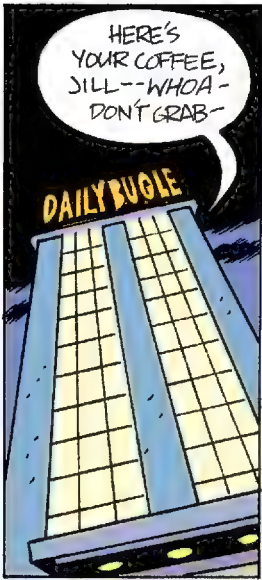




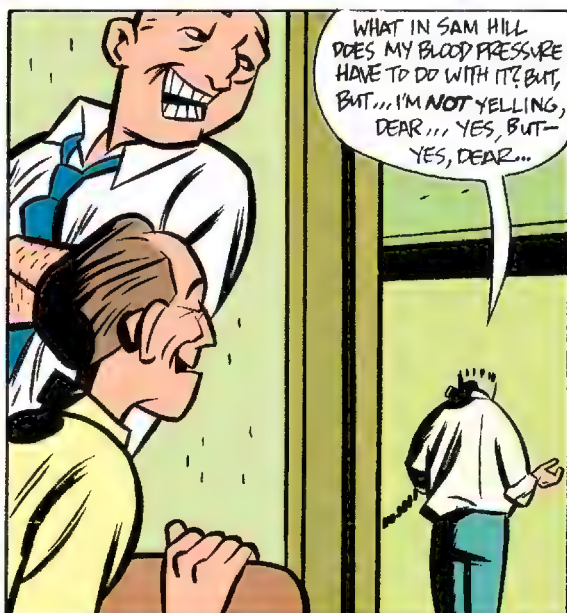
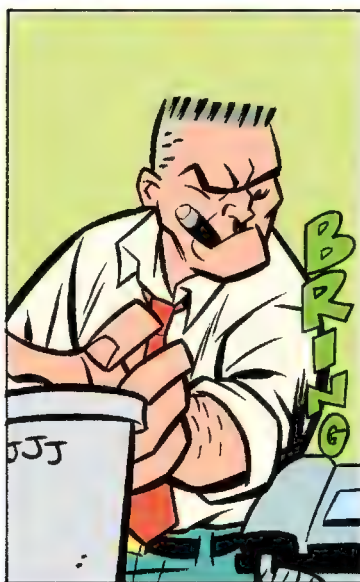
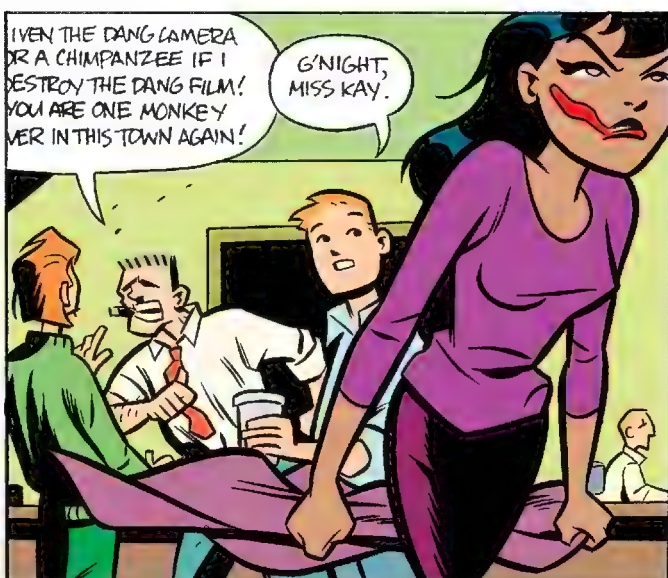


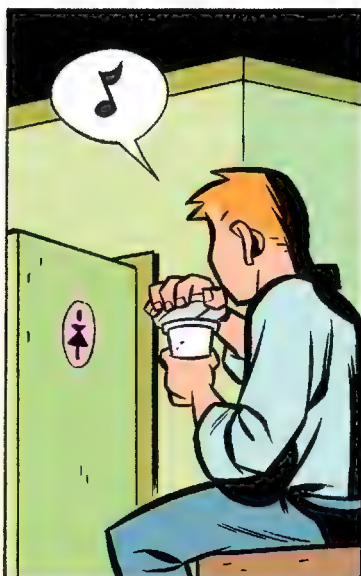
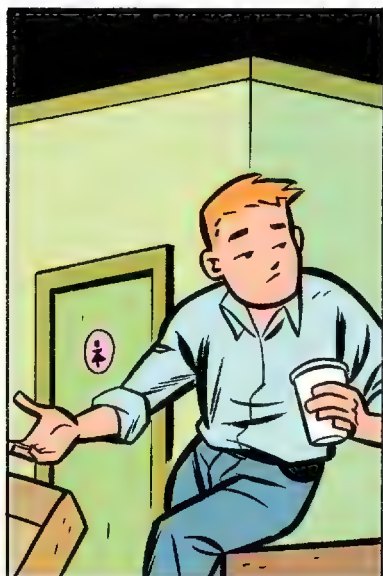


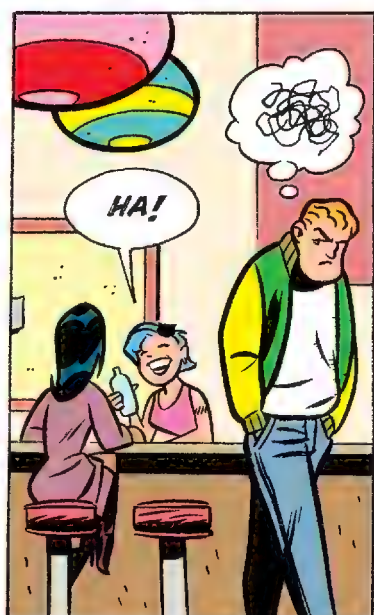
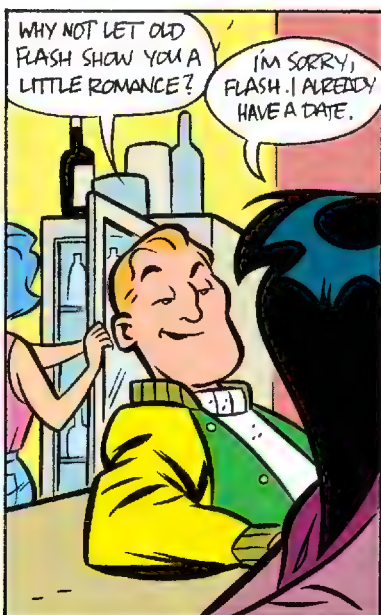


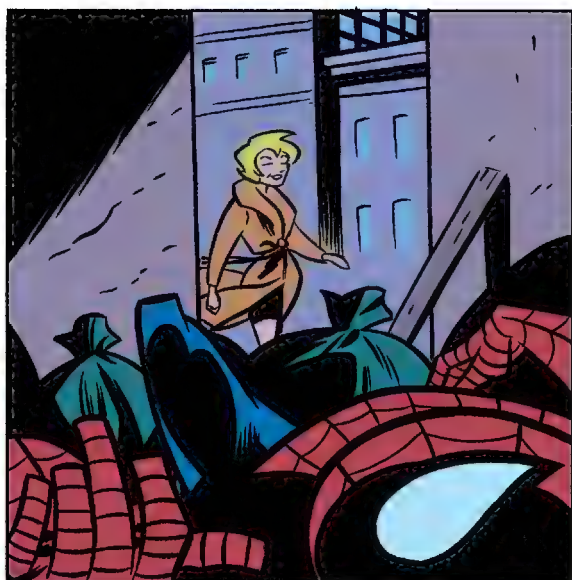




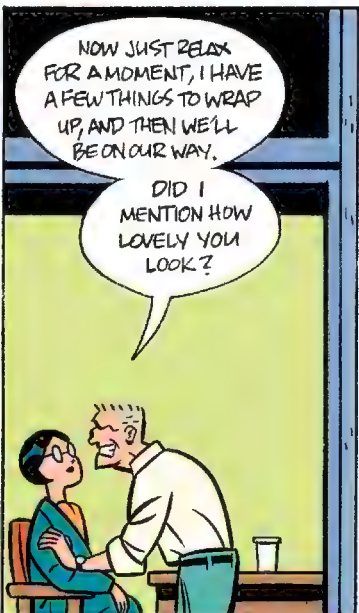
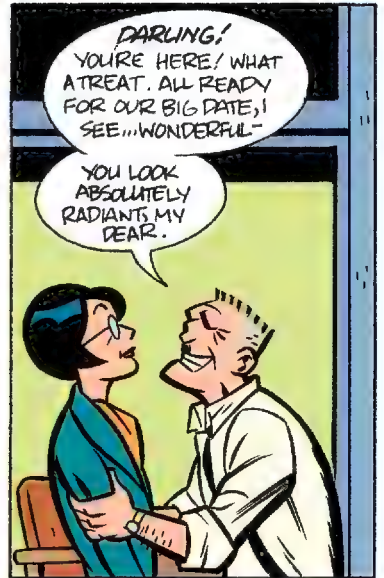
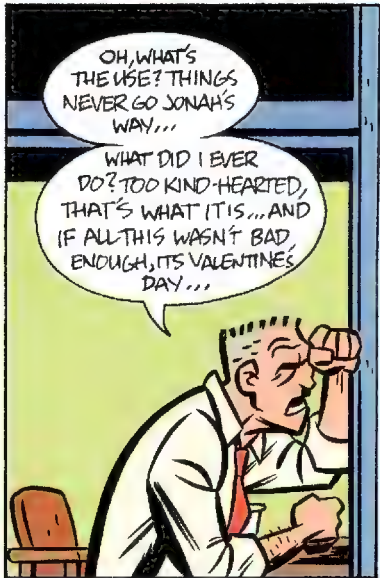
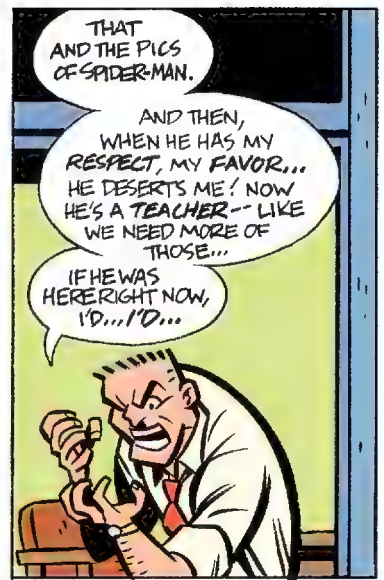


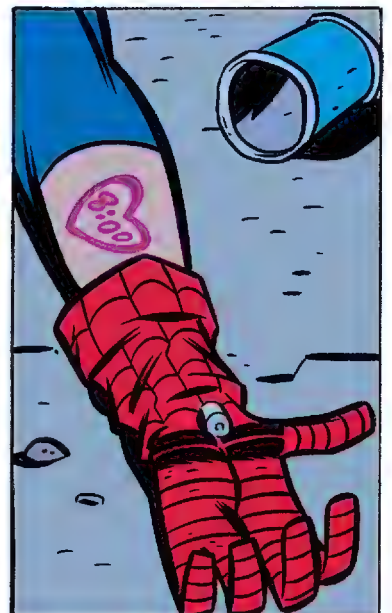
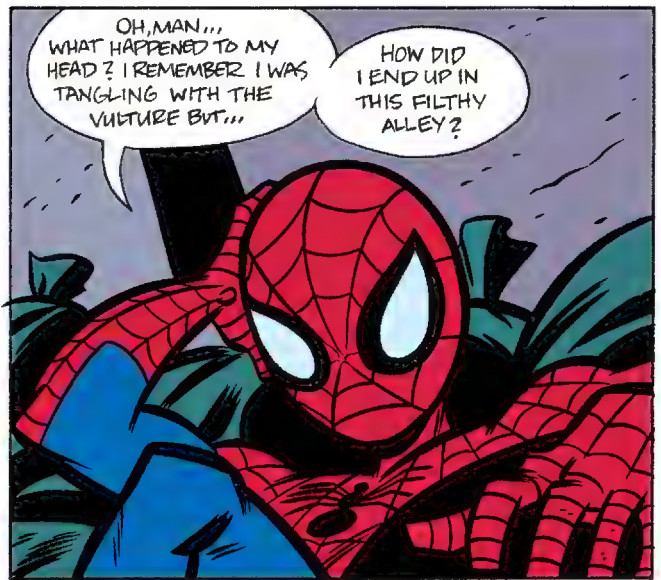


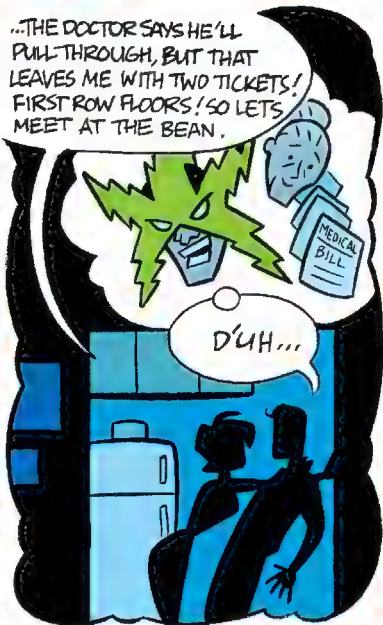












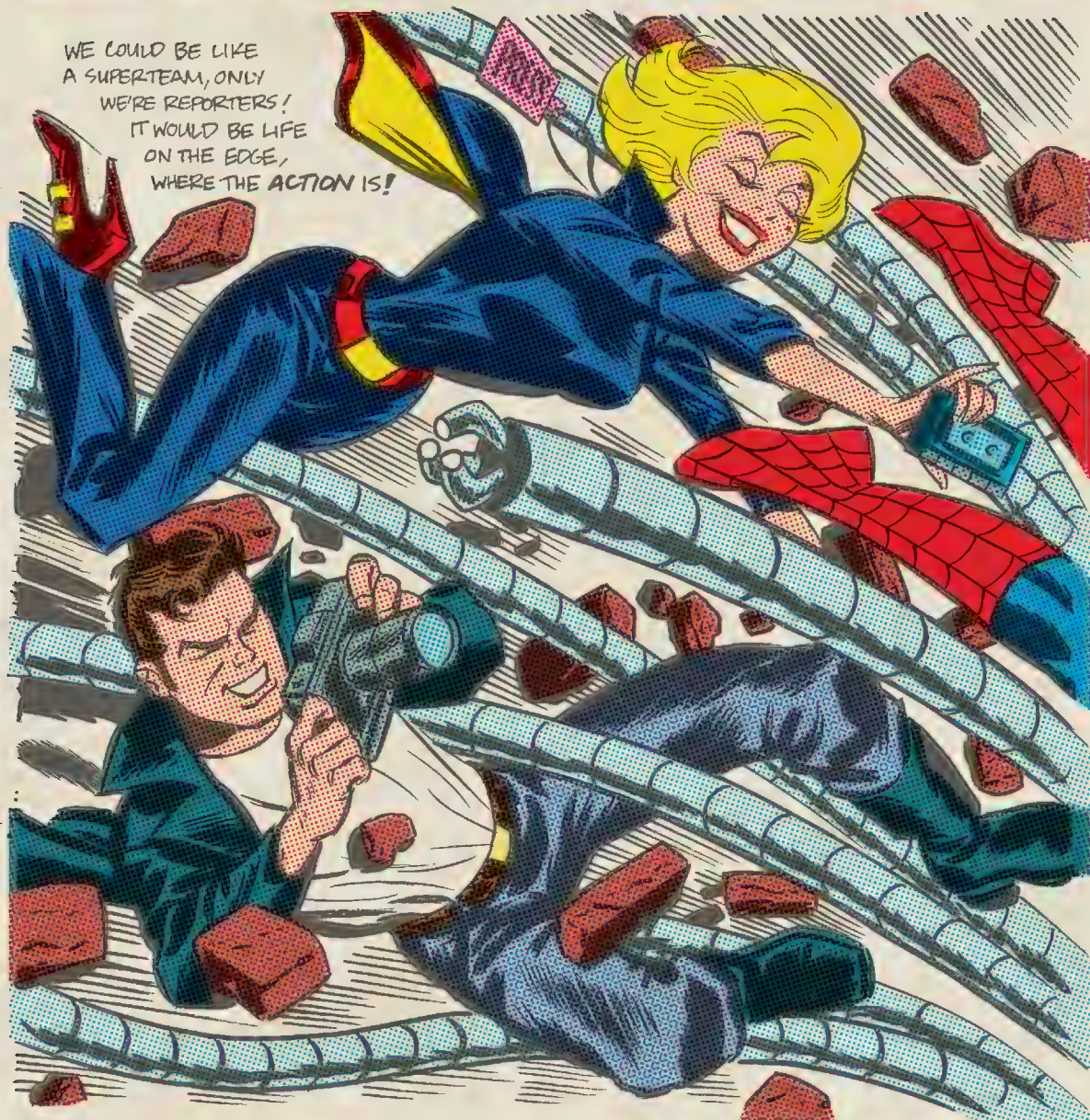




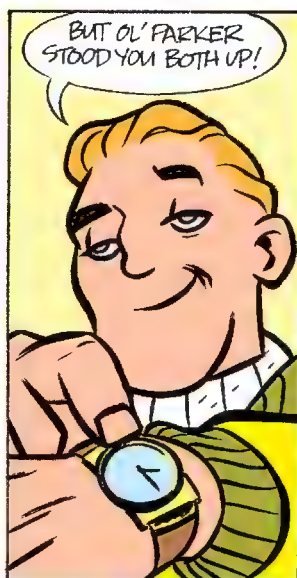
AHAHAHA!!
OH, I'M SORRY... HURMF!
I... I DON'T MEAN TO LAUGH, BUT
WHAT HAVE YOU GOT IN THAT
WATER? YOU'VE NO IDEA
WHAT PETER WANTS!

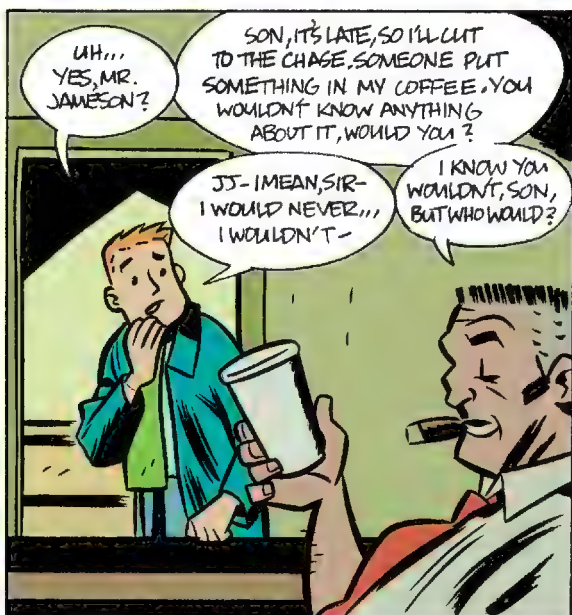


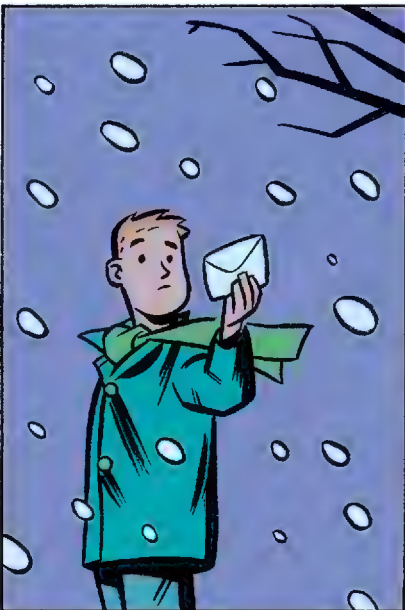
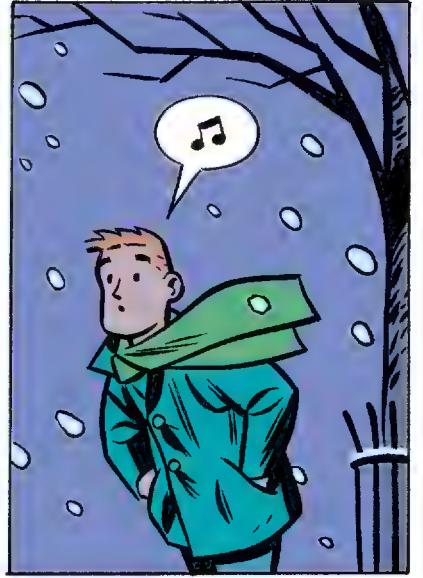
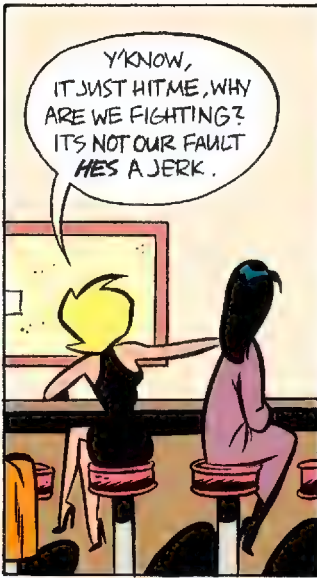
A MAN LIKE
PETER LIVES FOR THRILLS-
ADVENTURE! HOW ELSE DOES
HE GET THOSE WICKED-BAD PICS
OF SPIDER-MAN? HE NEEDS
A STRONG WOMAN.

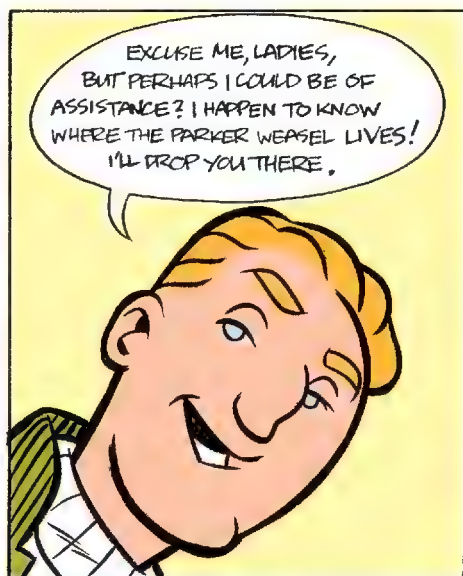


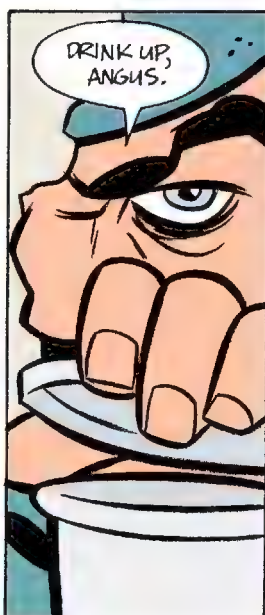
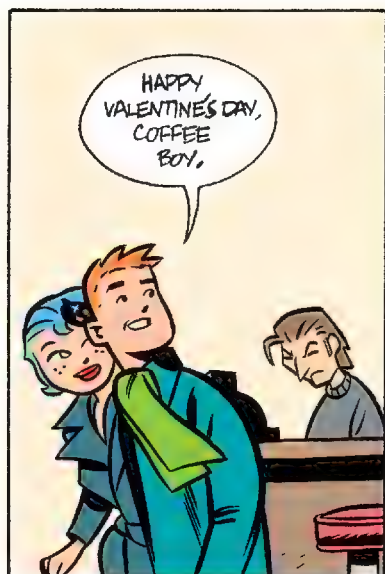
WE COULD BE LIKE
A SUPERTeam, ONLY
WE'RE REPORTERS!
IT WOULD BE LIFE
ON THE EDGE,
WHERE THE ACTION IS!





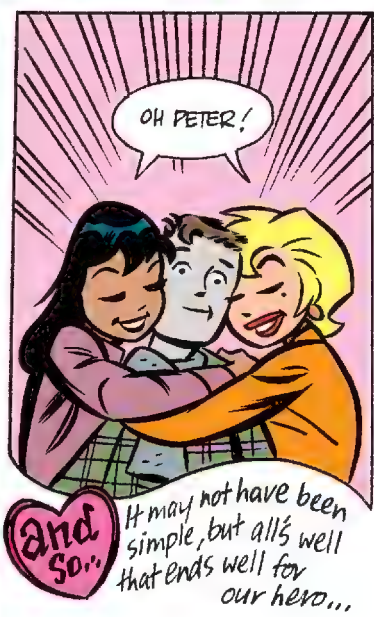
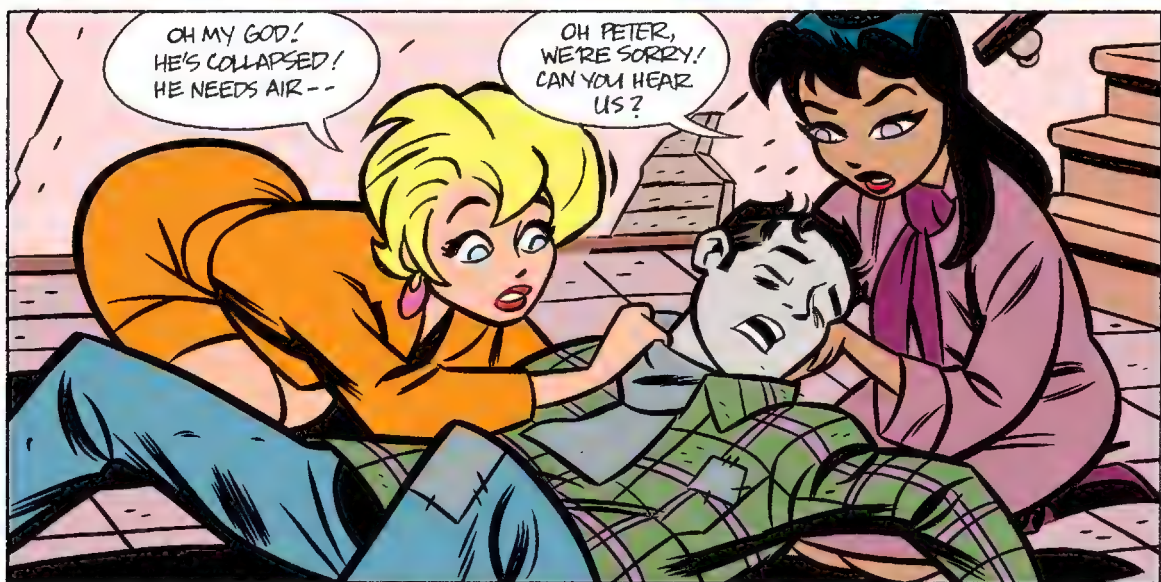


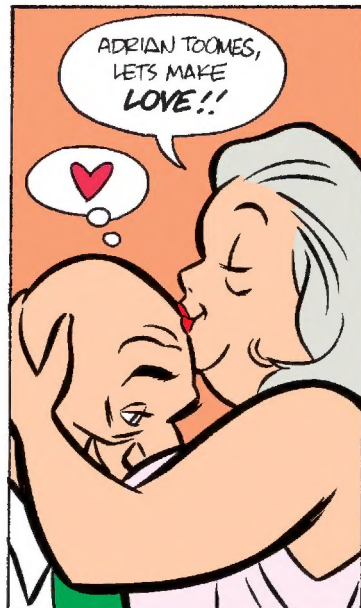
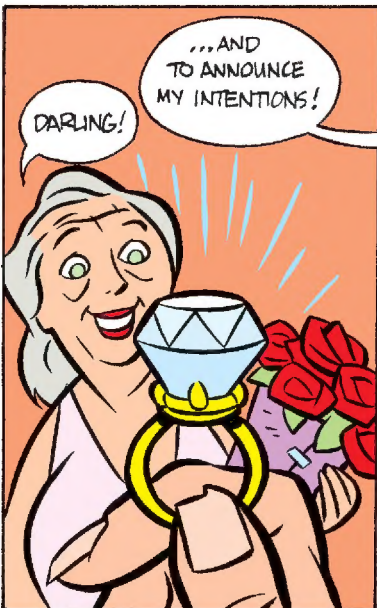
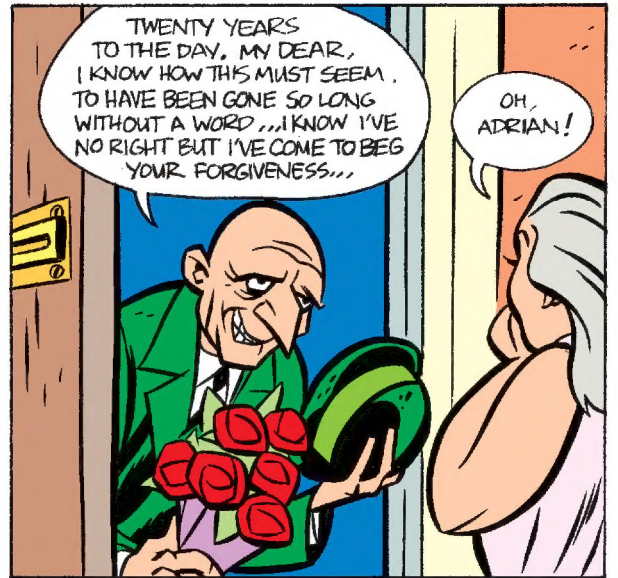




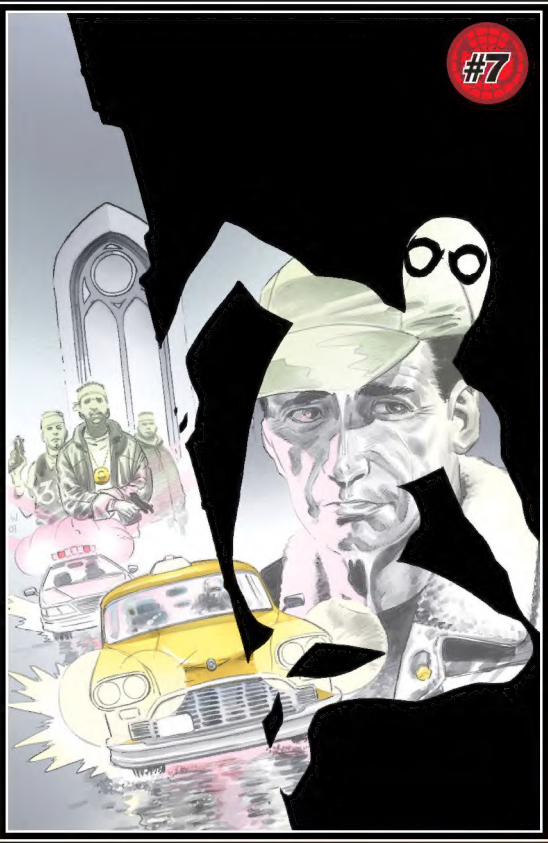








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